

# BRITISH NAVAL POWER AND SPEED WAITING FIRST SHOCK OF GERMAN ATTACK IN NORTH SEA

Somewhere in the North Sea, (Via London, Feb. 11)—Great Britain's first line offensive fleet, an incomparable combination of speed and gun power, ready for instant action, was inspected yesterday by a party of French and American correspondents and a representative of the Associated Press, was permitted to view from the bridge of a torpedo boat the naval unit which is expected to meet the first shock of a German attack.

In the fleet were virtually all the veteran fighting craft which have been in action on this war, but they showed few scars with the exception of an occasional dent in their armor. The pride of place is held by battle cruisers which in engagements from the Falkland Islands to the Dardanelles have borne the brunt of the sea fighting.

Unpopular with officers and men before the war because they were constantly coaling, and never more than cautiously praised

by the proponents of the super-dreadnaught policy, these huge fighting machines hold the premier position in the British navy, in which warship speed is now regarded as the first and most important principle of naval strategy. The correspondents left the naval base under a sunny sky but on reaching the coaling patrol of the torpedo boats the water was covered with a light haze.

As the launch with the visitors on board turned toward the

line of battle cruisers against the horizon they could see the "Eyes" of the fleet, in the form of a few prowling destroyers keep up incessant watch, not only to protect their mighty sisters from submarine attack but catch the first view of any adventurous German warship which might poke its nose into the open North Sea.

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# POLITICS NOT BEHIND GARRISON'S RESIGNATION

## NOT TO COME OUT AGAINST THE WILSON POLICIES

New York, Feb. 11.—Lindley M. Garrison, former secretary of war announced here today that he intended to retire "absolutely" from politics and public life. He said he would not discuss his resignation from any political angle.

Mr. Garrison intimated, however, that he might "do something in the matter of giving support to the movement in favor of a continental army, the issue upon which his resignation hinged. This intimation came in response to a question put by newspaper men as to whether he would "give his moral support to those who continue urging the policy of a continental army."

"I cannot answer that question," said the former secretary of war, "because it would intrude upon politics. I say this to you now so that later if I do decide to do something you will not say that I tried to deceive you."

Mr. Garrison received interviewers at the home of George Leary, with whom he spent the night after his arrival here last coming from Washington.

"I will not discuss my resignation from the cabinet," he said, "from any political angle whatever, either as regards the present situation or the situation to be produced, or soon to be produced."

"The facts will be disclosed to any one who will carefully read the correspondence between myself and the president. That correspondence cannot be misinterpreted by anyone."

"I intend to retire absolutely from politics and public life. I do not care for any political consideration whatever. Get it out of your head that there was anything political in my action."

Mr. Garrison was asked by interviewers if he intended to "follow the example of Mr. Bryan and come out publicly against any of Mr. Wilson's policies?"

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## HER TRESSES ARE WORTH A FORTUNE



Adele Blood.

New York, Feb. 10.—An ounce of hair is worth a fortune. At least, that is what Adele Blood thinks. She has the most expensive tresses in the world. Recently she had her hair insured for \$50,000.

She was led to do this through an accident which almost resulted in the loss of her "crowning glory," to say nothing of her life or beauty. Her hair reaches almost to her knees.

## TO CONTINUE OPERATION OF BLUE SKY STATUTE

Columbus, O., Feb. 11.—Plans to continue operations of the state blue sky bureau were made today despite the federal court decision yesterday that the law under which it operates violates the U. S. Constitution. Superintendent of Banks Harry T. Hall, under whose supervision the blue sky bureau works, announced that the law will be enforced on all dealers in securities except those who intervene in the suit of the Geiger-Jones Company, of Canton, in which yesterday's decision was given. Details of the department's attitude will be determined in an opinion which Attorney General Turner is expected to give in a few days.

Mr. Hall pointed out today that most dealers whose business is regulated by the blue sky law are in favor of its enforcement and for that reason he does not expect a great number of companies to contest formally the bureau's right to continue exercise of its jurisdiction, regardless of the court decision.

The attorney general's department was preparing today to appeal the Geiger-Jones suit to the United States supreme court. A speedy hearing will be sought in order to get a decision before the legislature meets next January. A new law conforming with the constitution then will be drawn, it is expected.

## APPAM TO REMAIN IN U. S. PORT

Washington, Feb. 11.—Disposition of the British liner Appam, brought into Hampton Roads by a German prize crew, has been decided upon by the United States, and will be announced later. Although there is no official confirmation, the indications are that the ship will be permitted to remain in American waters as a prize of the Germans indefinitely, under the terms of the Prussian-American treaty.

## WHY THE GERMANS SUNK IT

Berlin, (Via London, Feb. 11).—The appendices attached to the German memorandum notifying neutral nations that armed merchantmen belonging to countries at war with Germany will be considered warships include the Steamer Woodfield. The Woodfield was sunk November 3, last. A list of the crew aboard showed a gun captain and gun crew from the navy on board the vessel.

## STEAMER BEACHED

London, Feb. 11.—The British steamship Elswick Manor, 3,342 tons gross, has been beached off Yarmouth. Her crew was saved.

## NO TRUTH IN PEACE RUMORS

London, Feb. 11.—The Belgian legation announced today that the rumors which have been circulating that peace proposals were made by Germany to the Belgian government are devoid of foundation.

Recent information gathered in government circles in Berlin is that Germany holds that a portion of Belgium should be annexed to Germany in any settlement of the war which is undertaken.

This view is directly the reverse of the recent report, coming through Italy, that Germany had offered to evacuate Belgium as a condition of a separate peace. There is no confirmation of the report of Germany's willingness to evacuate Belgium but the contrary view that Germany desires to retain part of that country probably will be made known in confidential advices going to the American authorities indicating a less favorable outlook than had been expected.

## No Change In Switch System

Columbus, O., Feb. 11.—Railroads in Ohio will not be compelled to change their switch signal systems to provide a separate signal arm for each side track, it was indicated today by the Public Utilities Commission in connection with consideration of the Penna passenger wreck near St. Paris, Champaign county, a month ago. The commission lays the blame for the wreck on the youthful telegraph operator who threw the wrong switch and turned an east bound train on the same track with a west bound train.

## LAMAR LOSES HIS BATTLE

New York, Feb. 11.—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals denied today the motion of David Lamar, the so-called "Wolf of Wall Street," to reinstate his appeal against his conviction of impersonating Congressman A. Mitchell Palmer, of Pennsylvania, in an effort to defraud J. P. Morgan and Company and the United States Steel Corporation.

According to U. S. District Attorney Marshall, this ends Lamar's fight to prevent the execution of his two year sentence of imprisonment at Atlanta. The United States supreme court recently affirmed his conviction.

Jack Hager, a Market street barber, was back at his place of business Thursday after a week's illness.

## "JOKE" IS COSTLY TO STUDENT

Hamilton, O., Feb. 11.—Forest Rogers, a freshman at Oxford College, is in the hospital here today in a serious condition with a broken jaw and a paralyzed tongue and throat as a result of a joke perpetrated on him by members of the fraternity into which he was to have been initiated. Last night was "Joke" night for the fraternity members and they sent Rogers to Newbath, Indiana, five miles from Oxford to get a package which had been left under the porch of a store. Arrangements had previously been made with

the storekeeper there and a brick was wrapped up and placed under the porch. Rogers however, selected the wrong store and in his search he awakened a bull dog whose bark brought his owner, J. C. Hunt, to the scene. Hunt had been robbed on two occasions recently and thinking Rogers was a burglar, fired at him. Rogers was shot in the chin, but managed to walk back to the college where he dropped from exhaustion and loss of blood. Hunt and the Rogers' boy's father are close personal friends.

## SAY BRITISH INCITED THEIR MERCHANTMEN TO ILLEGAL ACTS

Vienna, Austria, Feb. 11.—(Via London)—The text of the memorandum communicated by the Austro-Hungarian foreign office today to the representatives of neutral governments, announcing the decision of Austria-Hungary to treat as warships armed merchantmen of countries at war with this nation, is as follows:

"It is not unknown to the governments of neutral powers that the British admiralty in the course of the year 1913, caused a number of large British liners to be armed. The first Lord of the Admiralty declared in the house of commons on March 26, 1913, that the arming of the vessels in question was only to protect them from dangers threatening them from hostile ships converted into auxiliary cruisers, and to serve exclusively for defense."

"Experiences gained in the present war show that a considerable number of British Merchantmen used the guns installed aboard against hostile warships and not solely with the intention to escape legitimate exercise of the prize right but also to attack and destroy enemy warships."

"As is evident from the memorandum which the imperial German government today communicated to neutral states, instructions have been found aboard English steamers which prove that the British government itself incited its merchantmen to illegal acts, and in complete contradiction to assurances communicated to the state department at Washington. Its allies particularly and Italy followed the example of Great Britain during the course of hostilities."

"Without wishing to enter into an examination of the surprising claim advanced by the British government according to which liners armed by that government retain their inoffensive character while merchantmen armed by the enemy are regarded by the British naval forces as auxiliary cruisers, the Austro-Hungarian government limits itself to establishing that every merchantman armed for any purpose whatever with cannon loses through this fact alone the character of non-combatant ship."

"Under these conditions the order has been given to the Austro-Hungarian naval forces to treat such ships as combatants—an order, which, however, will be in force only from Feb. 29, 1916."

This delay is granted in the interests of neutral powers in order that they may be placed in a position to warn their nationals (ness,

## A WAGON PLANT IS IN ASHES

Duluth, Minn., Feb. 11.—A fire, which last night destroyed the wagon plant of the A. A. Cooper Wagon and Buggy Company, caused a loss of \$200,000, according to estimates today.

It is said that most of the wagons were built for the allies in the European war.

## A TURKISH AMBASSADOR IS CAPTURED

Petrograd, Feb. 11.—(Via London)—A despatch from Teheran says that Assin Bey, Turkish ambassador to Persia, has been captured by a patrol of Cossacks near Kerechi. Three companions who were taken prisoners at the same time as the Ambassador, have proved to be the Austrian military attaché and two Austrian prisoners of war, who had escaped from the Russian some time ago.

## HE RESIGNED AS WAR SECRETARY



LINDLEY M. GARRISON

## OFFICIALS TO ATTEND THE PURDUM FUNERAL

Columbus, O., Feb. 11.—State officials and members of the legislature will go to Chillicothe early tomorrow morning in a special car to attend the funeral of Nelson Purdum, aged state representative from Ross county, who died yesterday. In the party will be State Auditor Donahy, Treasurer Archer and representatives of Governor Willis, Attorney General Turner and Secretary of State Hildebrand.

Dr. Morton W. Bland, state registrar of vital statistics, was called today to Galion by the death of his father, Wm. Bland, who died yesterday at the age of 85.

## Emperor Nicholas Goes To The Front

London, Feb. 11.—A Petrograd despatch to Reuters says that Emperor Nicholas yesterday left for the front.

## FRENCH REPULSED

Berlin, Feb. 11.—(Via London)—The repulse of four successive attacks made by the French in efforts to recapture trenches they had lost northwest of Vimy, the Artois was announced today. The French also failed in assaults to the south of the Somme.

## DIFFERENCE OF OPINION CAUSE OF RESIGNATION

Washington, Feb. 11.—Secretary Garrison has resigned from the cabinet because President Wilson declined to insist without compromise upon the adoption of the continental army plan by congress. The resignation was tendered and accepted yesterday, and with Mr. Garrison, the assistant secretary of war, Henry C. Breckinridge, also left the service of the government.

Today the president finds himself personally in charge of the administration's plans for strengthening the army and working out a definite military policy. He has not selected a successor to Mr. Garrison, and it is regarded as probable that even if the new head of the war department is named, the president who had made a careful study of the problem, will continue to handle the preparedness plans to a great extent himself.

Secretary Garrison's resignation took official Washington by complete surprise. Even members of the president's official family were unaware of the secretary's contemplated action, although one of them said, however that he knew that Mr. Wilson and Mr. Garrison differed over the handling of the army plans.

The first intimation that any

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## Billy Butt In Times Weather Map



If I see any Portsmouth person gadding 'th' streets this spring and in 'th' sort of outfits 'th' fashion plates have been describing 'th' hero of late as 'th' proper thing for 'gentlemen'—look out, I've stood for a heap in 'th' dressin' line, but here's a warnin' that there's a limit beyond which I can't be pushed. Pink shirts come mighty close 'th' limit and some of 'th' other things I've been readin' about pass it. Here's for tomorrow:

Ohio—Probably rain in south portion. Rain or sleet in north portion tonight and Saturday.

Kentucky—Probably rain tonight and Saturday.

West Virginia—Overcast weather with probably rain late tonight and Saturday.

## The Young Lady Across the Way



The young lady across the way is that every day that passes as peace just that much nearer, and while things have looked so ticklish at times we haven't a pair with any other n—, and she's quite hopeful we'll keep out of it.

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<b>\$1.75 Men's Dress Pants</b> ..... \$1.13	<b>\$4.00 Chas. A. Eaton Dress Shoes</b> ..... \$3.13	<b>35c Men's Wool Caps, fur pull down</b> ..... 18c	<b>15c Ladies' Dress Hose</b> ..... 7c					
<b>\$2.00 Men's Dress Pants</b> ..... \$1.37	<b>\$3.50 Men's Goodyear Welt Shoes</b> ..... \$2.73	<b>75c Men's Work Shirts, all colors</b> ..... 34c	<b>75c Boys' Sweater Coats</b> ..... 33c					
<b>\$2.50 Men's Dress Pants</b> ..... \$1.73	<b>\$2.00 Men's Dress Shoes, button or blucher for</b> \$1.73	<b>12c Men's Dress Hose, tan or black,</b> ..... 6c	<b>15c Men's Ribbed Union Suits</b> ..... 66c					
<b>\$3.00 Men's Dress Pants</b> ..... \$2.13	<b>\$3.50 Women's Dress Shoes, latest style</b> ..... \$2.09	<b>10c Men's Handkerchiefs, colored border,</b> ..... 3c	<b>\$1.50 Men's Dress Shirts</b> ..... 77c					
<b>\$3.50 Men's Dress Pants</b> ..... \$2.33	<b>\$3.00 Women's Dress Shoes, all leathers,</b> ..... \$1.77	<b>25c Men's Paris Garters</b> ..... 14c	<b>\$1.00 Boys' All Wool Knee Pants</b> ..... 43c					

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## Cincinnati Police Save Woman From Death Under Street Car, Claims Portsmouth Her Home



## Two Cars Of Horses

Frank Wingham, a local horse dealer, received two carloads of fine draft horses from northern Ohio Thursday night.

## Veteran Physician Endorses Tanlac; Uses It Himself

thoroughly; he has issued thousands of prescriptions and being a man of broad views he casts aside all rules which might hinder him from keeping abreast of the ad-

Catarrh of the stomach and kidneys frequently causes dyspepsia and Bright's disease. Catarrh of the throat inflames the bronchial

## JR. O. U. A. M. PLANS FOR A BUSY SEASON

der tonight. Open till 9 o'clock.

## Maccabees Change

The Knights of Maccabees have changed their meeting nights from the first and third Tuesday nights to every Monday night. R. Cox, district deputy, is here leading a campaign for new members.

## Mr. Neudoerfer Is Better

Lawrence Neudecker, who has been laid up many months following a delicate surgical operation he underwent in a Cincinnati hospital continues to mend a little each day at his home on Ninth street. If the weather is favorable next week he hopes to be able to take a short walk.

## Couldn't Straighten Up.

Mrs. J. M. Sprinkle of Sulphur Springs, Va., says that Cardui cured her permanently of her troubles - "About two years ago . . . I got into awful bad health . . . I was going down hill in health could only drag around . . . My friends recommended that I try Cardui so I began using Cardui and in a short time was greatly improved . . . Before starting I couldn't straighten up to save me . . . suffered great pains in the abdomen, sides and back worse than anywhere . . . After the use of one bottle I had no pain at all . . . The cure has been permanent . . . neither had to have a doctor or take any medicine." If you suffer from any of the ailments common to women, try Cardui The Woman's Tonic. Your druggist sells it.

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 In keeping with the progressive policy of The Temple we have arranged to refund the value of your Starling Coupon, in a special "Profit Share" Plan. For each sum of money you contribute to The Temple at all shows, you will receive a "Profit Share Card" which will entitle you to purchase at your favorite dealer your next "Blue" coupon, with twenty cents two, five, etc. etc. The amount of the refund will be determined by the "Profit Share Card" explaining this in detail. All the card only a few required bring it to The Temple and see the best show in town for the money. **ABSOLUTELY FREE.**

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# TOBE HENRY FINED

Tobe Henry, who was arrested by Officer Albrecht Thursday night for annoying and threatening a North End saloonkeeper, who had previously ordered him to stay away from his place, was given a \$10 fine in police court Friday. It was suspended pending good behavior. "Yaller" Landl, who was locked up on complaint of his wife, who said he had been abusing her, was fined \$10.

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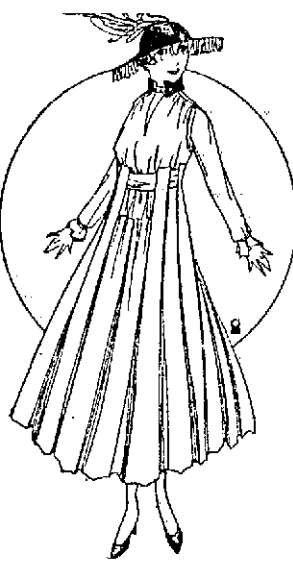
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**TRAMP ATTACKS WOMAN**

Mrs. Milford Colegrove, of Gephart's Station was attacked by a tramp at her home about 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Mrs. Colegrove supplied the tramp with matches and as she handed them to him he grabbed her and in her efforts to break away from him Mrs. Colegrove received severe bruises about the face and arms. Her screams for help made the stranger take to his heels and he made his getaway. Constable Stidham of Sciotoville was called to the scene and made a search for the man.

**SEVEN HEROES PASS AWAY IN MONTH**

How rapidly the ranks of the veterans of the civil war is being thinned by the Grim Reaper can be gleaned from the fact that during the month of January seven heroes of the days of '61 to '65 living in Scioto county answered the last roll call. The number includes: George Staten, John J. Geist, Henry Perry, W. H. H. Montgomery, James P. Miles, Elijah Potter and Frank L. Judd.

**HAYPORT**

Mr. and Mrs. W. Chapman, of Lucasville, were the guests of Mrs. H. Groh. Mrs. H. Groh is recovering slowly from an attack of rheumatism.

Miss Manchie Preston was detained from school last week by a serious attack of la grippe. Miss Jennie Oakes taught in her place.

Mr. George McClave was the pleasant guest of his brother, Mr. Claude McClave, of Edgerton, Ky.

Miss Minnie Burns spent the week end with her friend, Miss Marjorie Mackay, of Wheelersburg.

Mr. W. White was calling on H. Groh last Thursday.

**Saving a Black Fox Skin.**

Presence of mind is the soul of many exercises. If soldiers and sailors owe it to many of their lucky escapes, hunters and sportsmen are not less beholden to it for many of their successes. In a noble forest in Russia I met a black fox whose valuable skin it would have been a pity to let by him or shot. He stood close to a tree. In a twinkling I took out my ball and placed a good shot in his rear. He fired and hit him so cleverly that I nailed his brush fast to the tree. I now went up to him, took out my dagger, gave him a cross cut over the face, laid hold of my whip and fairly dogged him out of his fine skin. —Munchausen.

**Forethought.**

Husband—You don't mean to say you paid \$250 for that gown? Wife—Oh, no! I left that for you to do.

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**Miss Dorothy Frank.**

Palm Beach, Fla., Feb. 10. —Folks here sat up and took notice, as the expression goes, when Miss Dorothy Frank, of Chicago, appeared on the beach in the new "San Francisco" bathing suit.

The latest bathing costume is a compromise with those who objected to the one-piece creation which has been put under the censors' ban. The suit is especially becoming to slender women.

**WALLINGFORD**

The sick are improving.

Rev. Kilgore preached at Minna Tuesday.

James and Tivis Evermond, of Carter county, have been visiting the family of "Uncle Billie" Lee.

Misses Letha and Ethel Lee, who have had grip, are almost well again.

Mrs. Belle Jones and son, Warren, of Sabeton, Kansas, are visiting here after an absence of five years.

Miss Virgie Lee McKee and Miss Mae Gully were the pleasant guests of Miss Nannie Hannan, Sunday.

On account of the disagreeable weather, Rev. Stetler failed to preach at Ramsey's Chapel Sunday.

John Bailey has purchased the M. T. Doyle farm, near here.

Thos. Newkirk, who has been staying near Flemingsburg, has returned home.

Opal, infant child of J. N. McKee and wife, died Friday. Interment at Ramsey's Chapel, Sunday.

School at Poston and Wallingford has been discontinued on account of the illness of the teachers, Mr. E. Gardner and wife.

Prof. J. R. Ogden closed his school at Fox Ridge last Friday.

McKinley Williams, of Carter county, is visiting here.

Dr. J. P. Huff, of Plummer's Landing, was here recently.

Dennis Hister has returned from Helena.

**Siam's Royal Palace.**

One of the most remarkable buildings in the world is the palace of the king of Siam. It is inclosed in dazzlingly white walls over a mile in circumference. Within these walls are temples, public offices, seraglios, stable for the sacred elephant, accommodation for a thousand troops, cavalry, war elephants and an arsenal. There is also a very fine theater.

**MRS. PARKER WILL**

Under the will of Mary Craddock Parker, deceased, late of this city, admitted to probate Friday, the decedent gives to her daughter, Dorothea R. Stoner her piano. The husband, William L. Parker is given a life estate in her real estate situated at Third and Bond street. At his death the property is to pass to her daughter, Mrs. Stoner, on condition that she pay her brother, William J. Parker \$1000 and her sisters, Rachel M. Burkel and Anna Bishop \$100 each. The will was executed June 27, 1911.

**Wife Gets Divorce**

A decree was granted Ethel Anderson by Judge Thomas, Friday, divorcing her from Arnold Anderson, whom she married in May, 1914.

The couple have been separated since last October. The wife was given custody of their child, awarded \$4 weekly alimony and an allowance of \$25 attorney fees. E. W. Moulton for plaintiff and D. W. Gustin for Anderson.

**WEST HAMILTON**

La grippe is still prevailing in this neighborhood. There are few families that escaped the malady.

Walter Lansing was calling on Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller of near Cove Sunday. He was accompanied home by Miss Ella Kenner, sister of Mrs. Lansing.

The Citizens' Telephone Co. No. 19 met at J. R. Jenkins' Saturday afternoon to transact business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins were callers at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Will Fout, Wednesday.

Lowell Jenkins of Jenkinsville, attended the teachers' meeting at Jackson, Saturday. He reports much interest manifested.

Fred Kinner had the misfortune to lose a horse last week.

Carl Herman of Buck Lick was a visitor at Jackson, Saturday.

Joe Comer of Moun Ridge was through this section buying furs.

Dr. Dixon of Stockdale made a professional call in this vicinity Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Willmore of Renpel, who was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jacobs returned home, Saturday.

**HAVERHILL**

Mrs. Henry Heiner and daughter, Mrs. Carl Davidson, were shopping in Ironton Saturday.

Miss Edie Kellogg and sister, Mrs. William Brush, were visiting and shopping in Ironton Saturday.

Misses Mary and Jessie Bushaw were visitors in Ironton Saturday.

Miss Emma Kellogg is convalescing from her serious illness with pneumonia.

Mr. Fred Ault is recovering nicely from his recent injuries.

Mrs. G. A. Potts, of South Webster, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Graft.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibbons entertained at supper Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dempsey.

Messrs. Joseph Goldcamp and James Brown were business visitors in Portsmouth, Monday.

Mrs. Looney suffered a stroke of paralysis Tuesday morning. The left side is affected.

Mr. James Ratliffe moved his family to Ashland, Ky., Tuesday.

Mrs. John Campbell will move to Portsmouth this week.

The deferred meeting of the Foreign Missionary Society of the Haverhill Methodist church will be held at the home of Miss Ida Brush Wednesday afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Ohio Baptist church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Walter Dempsey, Thursday afternoon.

**LOOKING FOR TROUBLE.**

There is no virtue in bearing crosses of our own making. Many a misguided man prays for strength to bear burdens that do not belong to him and for grace to endure trials that he has gone out of his way to make for himself. Life's blessings outweigh its burdens, its joys outnumber its griefs, and a healthful outlook is quite as necessary as a prayer for grace.

**DR. ALBERT F. SNELL**

of Snell's Private Sanitarium of Cincinnati, Ohio, will be in Portsmouth, O., One Day Only, Saturday, February 12, 1916, at the Manhattan Hotel

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Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

**Can't Find Robbers**

No trace has been found of the party or parties who carried away 25 bushel of potatoes and six bales of hay from the H. H. Compton and Anthony Gerlach farms near Wheelersburg about three weeks ago. Five bushels of potatoes and three bales of hay were found hidden in an old slaughter house on Scioto Trail several days after the theft. Sheriff Smith has not given up yet and is still working on the case.

Phone Jansen your grocery order tonight. Open till 9 o'clock.

**WITH THE SICK**

John Grummell, of the wholesale liquor firm of McNally & Grummell, who has been quite ill again for the third time this winter, was able to visit his place of business again Thursday.

Agnes, a young daughter of Grocer and Mrs. Jos. Frantz, of Market street, is able to be up and about again, having fully recovered from her recent long and serious illness.

Woodrow Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Amborg, of the Hilltop, has been ill for several days.

Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Lechner, of Kinney's Lane, is very ill.

William Kiff, who is employed in the Salvage store, is ill with pneumonia at his home on Washington street, between Second and Third.

E. C. Lunsford, painter, of Sixth street, who has been suffering for a year with heart trouble, is some improved, but is not able to work.

Louis Osmeroy of Sciotoville, who was ill with grip suffered a relapse Thursday afternoon and Thursday night was in a serious condition. He was reported a little improved Friday.

**PRESCRIPTIONS CALLED FOR AND DELIVERED STEWART'S**

918 Gallia Street

**BIRTHS**

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bushman of Sciotoville, O., a big seven pound daughter, Friday morning, Feb. 11, 1916. The proud father is a plasterer of Sciotoville, and candidate for assessor on the Citizens' ticket.

Don't let another sun set with your WANT untold. Use the TIMES which reaches over 9,000 homes every day.

Phone Jansen your grocery order tonight. Open till 9 o'clock.

**THE LAST SI STRAUS SALE OF THE SEASON!**

The windows tell the story of savings at 416 Chillicothe.

On a rising market down Drops the price 416 Chillicothe.

\$1 Dress Shirts, marked down to ..... <b>79c</b>	Boys' 25c Union Suits, winter ribbed for ..... <b>19c</b>
Men's Brown and Tan Woolen Shirts, worth \$1, now ..... <b>79c</b>	Men's Dress Shoes Worth \$2.50 for <b>\$1.90</b> Men's Dress Shoes in Gun Metal and Vici, button and bluecher, all widths, late lasts, \$2.50 value for ..... <b>\$1.90</b>
Boys' Overcoats Cut To Almost Half Prices \$2.50 Boys' Overcoats ..... <b>\$1.50</b> \$4.00 Boys' Overcoats ..... <b>\$2.25</b> \$5.00 Boys' Overcoats ..... <b>\$2.75</b> \$6.00 Boys' Overcoats ..... <b>\$3.75</b> The above prices cover our entire line of Boys' Coats.	Child's 75c White Wool Sweaters for ..... <b>39c</b>
Men's \$3 Pants \$1.90 Men's Worsted Pants, made in the best possible manner, in up to now style at only ..... <b>\$1.90</b>	Men's 50c Blue Chambray Work Shirts now ..... <b>34c</b>
Child's 60c Hats 15c Child's 50c Hats, all new styles for ..... <b>15c</b>	\$4.00 Men's Grey and Red Rope Stitch Sweaters, marked down to ... <b>\$1.90</b>
Mill Men's Leather Palm Canvas 25c Gloves, Saturday Special for only ..... <b>15c</b>	Men's 50c Domet Flannel Night Shirts ..... <b>35c</b>
50c Men's ribbed and fleece lined Underwear marked down to ..... <b>34c</b>	Men's \$3.50 Goodyear Welt Dress Shoes \$2.60 Men's Dress Shoes in Gun Metal, button and lace, \$3.50 value, special at only ..... <b>\$2.60</b>
<b>Men's Suits \$7.90 Overcoats</b>	<b>SAVES YOU \$8 to \$10</b>
<b>Men's Suits \$8.90 Overcoats</b>	<b>Men's Suits \$8.90 Overcoats</b>
Men's Japanette Cloth Silk Initial Kerchiefs, ready for use, 10c ones marked down to ..... <b>6c</b>	25c Garters 15c Real 25c Men's guaranteed Mercorized Silk Web Garters ..... <b>15c</b>
75c Silk 4-In-Hands 35c; 3 for \$1 To close out our entire line of fine Silk Neckwear, all late styles, now only ..... <b>35c</b>	Boys' 25c Blue Chambray and Black Sateen double sewed Work Shirts for only ..... <b>19c</b>
Men's Domet Flannel 50c Shirts for ..... <b>39c</b>	In order to dispose of the balance of our woollens we will make \$20 Men's Suits to order for ..... <b>\$17.50</b> \$15 Men's Suits to measure for ..... <b>\$13.50</b> WORTH MUCH MORE
Men's \$2.50 Work Shoe Special \$1.90 Men's Work Shoes, tan and black leathers, best value of the year at ..... <b>\$1.90</b>	Boys' 25c blue and black ..... <b>19c</b> Waists for only ..... <b>19c</b>
Child's Red Wool Sweat-ers, \$1.50 ones now ..... <b>79c</b>	Boys' \$4 Suits Marked Down To \$2.25 A nice lot of Knee Suits, all sizes, made up in latest style decree, Bulgarian models, \$4.00 values, marked down to ..... <b>\$2.25</b>
Men's 20c Wool Hose, 12c now for ..... <b>12c</b>	Child's 25c Domet Flannel Rompers for ..... <b>15c</b>
Men's \$12 double texture Casimere Rain Coats ..... <b>\$6.90</b>	Boys' \$4 Rain Coats with hat to match for only ..... <b>\$2.25</b>
Boys' All Wool Blue Serge \$6.00 Suits for \$3.90 Boys' Suits made Bulgarian style, peg top pants, full lined for ..... <b>\$3.90</b>	

**Si Straus' Mark Down Sale, 416 Chillicothe Street.**

**ROCKY FORK**

Rev. James Upton failed to fill his appointment here Sunday on account of the rain.

Oscar Chapman, of Pine Hollow, spent from Friday till Sunday with relatives near Portsmouth.

Ray Shaw, of Turkey Creek, was working for Clarence Coriell, Monday.

James Robinson spent Saturday night with relatives at Pine Hollow. Carl Coriell returned to the Peoria Monday, where he has been staying with his sister, Mrs. Nell Hall.

Charles Robinson, who was married last Monday to Miss Etta Stephenson, was given an old-fashioned send-off at his home Wednesday night. The crowd was treated to candy and cigars. There was some good music, then all went home wishing young Robinson and bride a joyous and prosperous life.

John Robinson, of Newhouse, was at the home of his sister, Catherine Chapman, Thursday.

Albert Hurley was in our vicinity Wednesday night. Any attraction, Albert! Come again.

Dave Watson, who is working for Ed Branch at Otway, was visiting home folks here Sunday.

The sick of this place are all improving.

Alvin Chapman purchased a fine cow from Ed Hempleman, of Gassy Lane, one day last week.

Ed Howard purchased a fine team of mules, Monday.

**SPECIAL PRICES FOR SATURDAY ON**

Fresh Country Butter and Eggs, Dressed Chickens, Lettuce, Celery, Apples, Cabbage, Potatoes, Bacon, Flour, Coffee, Canned Goods, Dried Fruits, Cheese, Pickles, Cakes and Crackers.

Phone us your orders early.

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Valentines 1c, 21-2c, 5c and 10c

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# SUGAR

## 4 Pounds 25c

500 pounds at 8:30, 500 pounds at 10:30  
500 pounds at 2:30

Star Soap 3 Bars 10c

On sale Saturday at 9:30 and 2:30

GUARANTEED STRICTLY FRESH

# COUNTRY EGGS

## 24c Dozen

We have 300 dozen of strictly fresh country eggs for sale Saturday. These go on sale at 8 o'clock and will be on sale till sold. Every egg is guaranteed fresh. Our price is considerably lower than elsewhere. We will sell you any quantity at, per dozen

Lenox Soap 5 Bars 15c

Special Brooms 25c

We have a special lot of extra fine grade four sewed house brooms. Made of good green corn stock and worth 35c each. On sale Saturday at

Table Oil Cloths Yard 15c

Florida Oranges 6 for 10c

Grab Boxes for 5c

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# PEPPER'S

## ONE TO 25 CENT STORE

## ROACH'S WIFE ALSO MISSING

It develops that the man who called up the Washington hotel Thursday and by his inquiry regarding a woman caused the suspicion of a clue to the identity of the Millbrook park lake victim Harry Roach, an engineer at the steel plant.

Roach lives in the old R. R. Y.

M. C. A. property on Gallia street and was on a hunt of his missing wife, Mrs. Jessie Roach. She had disappeared Wednesday after a quarrel regarding some letters the husband says he found. His sister, Rosa Roach, took charge of the two children of the household when the mother left. After she had been gone for twenty-four hours Roach decided to ask his wife to return. He found she had spent the first day at the Price family's home on Fifth street but when she left there Thursday said she was going to work at the Washington hotel. That is why he called up that hotel but she was not there. She had not yet been located up to Friday afternoon.

SUFFERED FROM BACKACHE RHEUMATISM, DROPSY.

Dear Mr. Editor—I wish to tell you of a recent experience I had when suffering from backache, weak back, rheumatism, dropsy, and congestion of the kidneys. I tried a new medicine called "Auric," which has recently been discovered by Dr. Pierce, of whose medicines and surgical institutions in Buffalo, N. Y., you have no doubt heard for years. This medicine acted upon me in a wonderful manner. I never have taken any medicine so helpful in such quick time. I do wish anyone in need of such a remedy would give it a trial. (Signed) O. H. HARRIS.

### Buy Ironton Plant

Dayton, Feb. 11.—The Dayton Malleable Iron Company has purchased the Ironton Malleable Iron Company, located at Ironton, O. The deal was made for the purpose of enabling the local concern to take care of its largely increased business.—Dayton News.

Special prices on Springs and Mattresses at Hanson Bros. tomorrow. Steel building, Second St. ady

Life in a Nutshell.  
"Stop, Look, Listen!"  
A reflective man was reading this railroad sign.  
"Those three words illustrate the whole scheme of life," said he.  
"How so?"  
"You see a pretty girl. You stop. You look. After you marry her you listen."—Detroit Free Press

Resinol Surely Heals Sick Skins

When you know physicians have prescribed Resinol for over 20 years in the treatment of eczema and other itching, burning, unsightly skin eruptions, and have written thousands of reports saying, "It is my regular prescription for itching," Resinol has produced brilliant results. "The result it gave was marvelous in one of the worst cases of eczema," etc., etc., doesn't it make you feel, "This is the treatment I can rely on for MY skin trouble?"

Use Resinol Soap regularly and you will be astonished to find how quickly it soothes and cleanses the pores, and leaves the complexion clear and fresh.

## Deal Is Closed.

Rev. Freeman W. Chase on Friday sold to Henry T. Haynes a four-room frame cottage on Gallia street, near Linden avenue. W. H. Shonkewiler, real estate dealer, closed the deal.

Phone Jansen your grocery order tonight. Open till 9 o'clock.

## HAVE BOUGHT INTEREST

According to information from Wheeling, Capt. Harry O. Donnelly and Capt. Fred Hornbrook, of this city, have purchased an interest in the wharfbat at Wheeling.

## Mr. White At Home

A. J. White, manager of the Style Shop, has returned from New York, where he bought spring goods for his firm. He says New York at this particular time is full of buyers and they are all planning for big business with the opening of spring.

Constructive Legislation.  
First Lawyer—What makes you think we shall not be able to get this law passed by the legislature? Second Lawyer—It's too simple. Almost any one can understand it. It ought to be so complex and vague that nobody can understand it. Then it is bound to pass, because nobody would admit that he didn't understand it.—New York Sun.

## LOOKING FOR WORK

Everywhere men complain about work; even boys and girls in school or business find work tedious and irksome, but it isn't the work half so much as their own lack of physical strength that makes it hard.

Rich blood, strong lungs and healthful digestion make work pleasurable in business, in school or even housework, and if those who are easily tired—who are not sick, but weak and nervous—would just take Scott's Emulsion for one month and let its pure concentrated food create richer blood to pulsate through every artery and vein—let it build a structure of healthy tissue and give you vigorous strength—you would find work easy and would look for more. Insist on Scott's.

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## Will Open Bids

Architects Devoss and Donaldson will open bids Saturday for the new home Charles Storck, of the Hibbs Hardware company, will build on Franklin avenue and Twenty-First street.

## WILL BUILD HOUSE

Mrs. J. C. Meyers, widow of the late Attorney R. C. Meyers, has commissioned Architects Devoss and Donaldson to prepare plans for a six room house she will build on Highland avenue.

## SOUTH WEBSTER

Mrs. Charles Murphy spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. P. M. Johnson, who is convalescing from a slight illness.

Miss Nellie Stewart is visiting her sister at Oak Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Stewart and children are spending the week-end with Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Stewart.

Dr. R. L. Stewart was a business visitor in the Peerless, Wednesday.

Mr. Silas Saffold is somewhat improved from his recent illness.

Mrs. Stratton, Mrs. E. O. McCall and son, Maurice, were visiting Mrs. Henry Warner, Friday.

Mr. Henry Bessman is recovering from an attack of grip.

Miss Minnie Carmichael spent Saturday with her sisters, Mrs. Grace McRoberts and Mrs. Effie Zemes.

Mr. W. E. Tripp has fully recovered from his illness.

Mr. Miller, of Portsmouth, was taking photographs here Saturday morning.

"Grandma" Hedding, who departed this life January 28th, was buried January 31st, aged 92 years. Rev. James Taylor officiated at the services.

Mr. Stephen Arthurs, Sr., is recovering from grip.

Mrs. Sarah Woods has returned from a visit to Withamsville, O.

Miss Stella McCall has a nice line of valentines on hand.

## SUNSHINE VALLEY

The Sunday school of this place is progressing nicely under the able management of Mrs. John Scurlock. Everybody is invited.

Mr. Harry Henning, of this place, visited relatives at South Webster, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sheemaker have returned to Portsmouth after a brief visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Sheemaker.

Mr. Fred Scurlock and Clarence Stockham attended services at Tar Buckel, Sunday.

Mrs. John Moore is seriously ill at this writing.

Mrs. Samuel Hanes made a flying trip to South Webster.

Warren Stockham was in this vicinity Tuesday.

Mrs. Andy Arthurs was visiting Mrs. Mace one day last week.

Billie O'Smith was seen wearing his way to Muddy Hollow. What's the attraction, Billie?

Madame Rumer says another wedding in the near future. Boys, get your bells ready.

Miss Marie Moore visited friends in Oak Hill one day last week.

Miss Genevieve Peach is working for Warren Stockham, of South Webster.

## HARRISON FURNACE

C. L. Lightner, rural carrier of Route No. 1, Sciotoville, who has served the people faithfully since the route was established, has resigned his position. The patrons express their regret at his resignation and wish him success in any enterprise he may undertake. His successor is George Schaffer, of Portsmouth.

The second quarterly meeting of the conference year was held at Harrisonville Methodist church Saturday and Sunday, conducted by Rev. Matice, district superintendent, of Portsmouth.

Master J. Bennett Pugh is sick.

Mrs. Eliza Paule has gone to Portsmouth to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. White.

Mr. Landon Lindsey and sister, Miss Eunice Lindsey, visited their sister, Mrs. Lacey Elliott, at Sciotoville, recently.

Brit Lindsey and Wm. Van Gorder were business visitors at Wellston last week.

Mrs. John Ramsey and Miss Eva Russell were callers at Wheeler's Mills, Tuesday.

## NUXATED IRON

Increases strength of debilitated persons, cures nervousness, cures indigestion, cures constipation, cures all ailments of the blood.

100¢ FORFEIT

Fisher and Stretch Pharmacy always carry it in stock.

## IF YOU WORRY, READ THIS

Worry never brought any good to anybody. But, you say, "I don't worry because I want to, I worry because I can't help it." Or, "I worry because I have so much to worry about."

We all have our troubles and worry, of course, makes matters worse. The patients generally recognize this fact without being influenced in any way by it.

The doctor who could meet this nervous condition and cure it would be the most popular medical man alive. But he can not do it because the form of nervous exhaustion known as neurasthenia, of which worry is a characteristic symptom, must be cured by the patient himself. That is why you should write today for the book "Diseases of the Nervous System," and read the chapter on "Neurasthenia." So many people have read it and written back, "This hits my case exactly, I am giving the treatment a trial and being benefited," that the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., has had a lot of these books printed and will send you a copy free on request. Ask for a diet book also if your stomach is off.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a non-alcoholic tonic, particularly suited for nervous, neurasthenic, or other ailments. Druggists sell them or they will be mailed postpaid on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50.

## SOCIETY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Graf was the scene of a delightful birthday party given in honor of Mr. Graf's 52nd birthday anniversary.

The evening was spent in music, dancing and cards. Refreshments were served to the following: Misses Margaret Graf, Lucy Simon, Augustine Redouty, Frances Scharkart, Madeline Simon, Annie Walsh, Theresa Graf and Mary Simon; Messrs. Frank Sharkart, Ed Graf, Frank Simon, Frank Graf, Ed Montaron, George Montaron, Wm. Graf, Lawrence Montaron, Roy Zuehlke, Joseph Lover, Dan Prose, Eugene Delbort, Richard Redouty, Edward Simon, Arthur Vernier, Charles Montaron and Albert Simon, Mr. and Mrs. John Graf, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Price and little daughter, Charlotte. All departed at a late hour, wishing Mr. Graf many more happy birthdays.

Mrs. E. E. Haequard's Sunday school class of the Sciotoville M. E. church were entertained at the home of Mrs. Haequard Thursday evening. There were 34 present. Games and music were indulged in. In a guessing contest Miss Ella Taylor won first prize, a picture, and Nannie Stratton won the booby prize. Light refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lunsford, of Sixth street, entertained Thursday evening Mrs. Mattie Rawlings, of Huntington, W. Va.; Mrs. M. M. Johnson, of Parkersburg, W. Va.; Mrs. W. M. Lykins, of 2022 Gallia street, and Drusilla and Theodore Lunsford.

Word came from Columbus Friday that Mrs. Harry W. Miller, who recently submitted to a surgical operation performed in the Grant hospital in Columbus by Drs. Charles Baldwin and George Wetters, of that city, was improving steadily. However, it will be some little time before she will be able to be removed to her home here.

Henry Nagelsien, Cincinnati, O., expert Tuning, Repairing Pianos, Player Pianos. Phone 1239-X.

## LYRA

Rev. S. Fisher is holding a protracted meeting here.

Mrs. Roasia Hughes, of Haverhill, and Mrs. Clarence Wallace, of Franklin Furnace, who were called here by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Philip Besco, Sr., have returned to their homes.

Mr. Guy Bieh, formerly of this place, but now of Marion, O., who was called here by the illness of Mrs. Sylvester Bieh, who has been ill with pneumonia, returned Sunday to his home. Mr. Bieh and his brother Clifford are engaged in the grocery business and are progressing nicely in their new home at Marion.

David and Walter Lemon and Henry Correll, of Turkey Foot, are at home from their trip to Moore, Montana. The boys like the Western states. When starting for their home here the thermometer registered 30 degrees below zero.

Mr. Clifford Fritz, of Dogwood Ridge, was a visitor here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Hayward and sons, Wilbur and Russell, spent Sunday with Mrs. Fred Cook, of Pine Creek.

Mrs. Eliza Sheppard, of Selter's Creek, is visiting relatives in Portsmouth.

Rev. Frank Delawder was here Saturday canvassing for an automobile washer.

Henderson Smith, of Pinkerman, and Herbert Willis, of Pine Creek, left Sunday with quite a number of horses and mules to attend the stock sale at Greenup, Ky., Monday.

Miss Hazel Lemon, who teaches school at Mt. Hope, on the West Side, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Lemon.

Clifford Fritz, of Dogwood Ridge, was a visitor here Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Andre was called Thursday to see her mother, Mrs. Marion Mann, who is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Orma Faine, of Lick Run.

Mr. George Baker, who has been confined to his room for the past three weeks with a complication of diseases, is no better.

# Final Wind-Up!

## On Women's Suits and Coats!

Not one of these garments must be left in our store in the next 10 days—they must go, and in order to get rid of them we have placed tempting prices there—prices never before equalled on such high character merchandise—while every garment is a masterpiece of workmanship—hand tailored and the last word in the fashion world. Come and see these garments. They are beauties in all the word implies.

## WOMEN'S SUITS

We have one lot of suits in the following sizes: 15, 16, 36, 38 and 40—best values we ever handled—all patterns, all colors, values \$15, \$18 and \$22—in order to completely clean them out you can have your choice of any one of these suits for

# \$7.98

SEE WINDOWS

## LADIES' COATS

One lot of 25 Coats—all we have, in Plushes and Mixtures—handsomely made—a grand assortment, hand tailored, all sizes, values ranging from \$15 to \$22—your choice

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## NEW IDEA CLOTHING CO.

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ALWAYS HONEST VALUES

## SUNNYBROOK

The grip victims of this community are all convalescing.

Walter McClintock and brother, Guy, of Wheeler's Mill, spent Sunday with friends of this place.

Charlie and Philip Reed were business callers at South Webster, Saturday.

David Gilliland is recovering from a severe attack of grip.

C. S. Slaven and son, Marion, were guests of F. M. Dever Sunday afternoon.

Miss Carrie Reed was calling on home folks Sunday.

C. E. Meldick, of Mabees, will farm for George Carter the coming season.

Edward Reed spent Sunday with his grandpa, Mr. McClintock, of Happy Hollow.

Miss Wilda Gilliland was the Sunday afternoon guest of Miss Martha Daugherty.

Frank Comer and lady friend, of Salem, attended church at Hamilton last Sunday night.

Elmer Gilliland will assist Albert Smith in his farm work, the coming season.

How to Treat Croup Externally

Rob Vick's "Vap-O-Rub" Salve will over the throat and chest for a few minutes—then cover with warm flannel cloth. Leave the covering loose around the neck so that the soothing medicated vapors arising may loosen the choking phlegm and ease the difficult breathing. One application at bedtime insures against a night attack. 25c, 50c, or \$1.00. At druggists.

## VICKS' VAPOR SALVE

Misses Glenn Dever and Margaret Slaven were calling on Philip Reed and family Sunday afternoon.

Esta Meldick is grieving considerably over the loss of his lady friend.

John Elsker, of Buck Lick, has not been seen wearing his way towards Salem for some time. What is the matter with you, John?

Of Two Evils.

Be—You're getting your hat ruined. She—Well, it's an old hat, and I do hate to wear my new umbrella.

## OBITUARY

Mrs. Rebecca Weissman.

Death Thursday afternoon claimed another of Scioto county's oldest residents when Mrs. Rebecca Weissman, wife of J. W. Weissman, of Bear Creek, Lucasville, died after a short illness of uraemic poisoning. The deceased was over 69 years of age. She spent most of her life on Bear Creek and is well known and loved in that part of the county in which she made her home. Her husband, who is left to mourn the death, is an old soldier.

The funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Peitsmeyer of the Lucasville M. E. church at ten o'clock Saturday morning, services being held at the Bear Creek United Brethren church. Burial will be made in Bear Creek.

Benjamin Warnock

Benjamin Warnock, who was past 70 years of age, died Thursday evening at his home in Greenup, where he had resided for a number of years. He is survived by eight children.

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Cataract is a "cold" in its chronic form. The blood is filled with bacteria which is taken into the mouth and nose through the process of breathing. When the body is in a healthy condition no harm results. But with our modern methods of indoor living and sanitary occupancies, the mucous membranes are exposed to the "throw-off" this harmful bacteria, making catarrh a very common ailment. These germs breed and multiply, causing inflammation of the blood and of the membranes lining the throat and the lungs. The blood is in a vigorous condition, "defensive" efforts are made to rid the blood of the "hang-on" - "poison" - and the cold "hangs on" - turns into catarrh.

Cataract is a chronic inflammation of the mucous membranes. Mucous membranes are the lining on all the internal cavities of the body. There is the "edible chain" element of danger.

The only way to cure catarrh is to purify the blood. The surest way to purify the blood is to take a course of Write us for special literature. Scott's Emulsion, New York, U. S. A.

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# Winter Overcoats at HALF PRICE

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A \$30 Overcoat for  
\$25.00 Overcoat for

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**\$10.00 OVERCOATS FOR \$5.00**

These Overcoats are hand tailored, many satin lined and have the snap and style. Don't put off buying that coat any longer for they will be good for next year, when they would cost you the original price.

## SUITS AND OVERCOATS

The following prices will prevail on other Suits and Overcoats not included in this sale:

\$30.00 Suits and Overcoats	\$23.95
\$25.00 Suits and Overcoats	\$19.95
\$20.00 Suits and Overcoats	\$15.95
\$15.00 Suits and Overcoats	\$11.95
\$10.00 Suits and Overcoats	\$ 7.95

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# REPUBLICANS HOLD AN ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING

## Endorsements Are Given, And Harmony Reigns Everywhere

Members of the Republican County Central Committee and of the County Executive Committee met in the city council chamber at 12:30 Friday afternoon and after short individual sessions, a joint meeting was held and it soon resolved itself into a veritable love feast, the Republicans expressing their joy over the manner in which the party was swept into office at the November election.

Chief among the features of the enthusiastic and harmonious meeting was the endorsement of Geo. Davis of Clay township as a candidate for delegate to the Republican National Convention to be held in Chicago in June.

Dr. P. W. Young, chairman of the county executive committee, nominated Mr. Davis for the place and made a ringing speech in his behalf. When a vote was taken on the matter there was no dissenting voice and amid the applause of the committeemen Mr. Davis was found and escorted to the meeting. In a few words he heartily thanked the convention for the honor conferred upon him.

"I earnestly appreciate the honor and I sincerely trust you have not made a mistake in your selection," Mr. Davis said.

A resolution heartily endorsing Theodore Burton as a candidate for president of the United States on the Republican ticket was unanimously passed and a resolution commending the administration of Governor Frank B. Willis and Senator Warren G. Harding and one endorsing Congressman C. C. Kearns for re-election to congress were introduced and unanimously passed.

The candidacy of Hon. Harry M. Daugherty for the United States Senate was also endorsed and resolutions commending the splendid records of Senator W. D. Trempier and Representative W. R. Sprague were passed.

Dr. P. W. Young announced that the city would have six delegates and the county six delegates to the Republican State Convention to be held in Columbus and that each district was mapped out on a basis of one delegate to every 100 votes cast in the fall election of 1914 when Governor Willis was elected.

Dr. Young submitted the following districts along with the vote of each precinct at the 1914 election were submitted by Dr. Young and accepted:

**District No. 1**

First Ward, A	51
First Ward, B	126
First Ward, C	125
First Ward, D	93
First Ward, E	60
First Ward, F	45
Total	490

**District No. 2**

Second Ward, A	115
Second Ward, B	76
Second Ward, C	100
Second Ward, D	99
Second Ward, E	102
Total	492

**District No. 3**

Third Ward, A	78
Third Ward, B	157
Third Ward, C	136
Third Ward, D	97
Total	468

**District No. 4**

Fourth Ward, D	78
Fourth Ward, E	157
Fourth Ward, F	136
Fourth Ward, G	97
Total	468

**District No. 5**

Fourth Ward, B	149
Fourth Ward, C	97
Fourth Ward, H	145
Fourth Ward, I	69
Total	460

**District No. 6**

Fourth Ward, C	130
Fourth Ward, D	88
Fourth Ward, F	164
Fourth Ward, I	44
Fourth Ward, J	92
Fourth Ward, K	81
Total	599

**District No. 7**

Lower Nile	68
Upper Nile	126
Washington	145
Rush A	95
Rush B	69
Total	503

**District No. 8**

Olway	40
Brush A	88
Brush B	53
Rarden	41
Rarden Twp.	78
Morgan	145
Union	70
Total	515

**District No. 9**

New Boston	289
Clay A	75
Clay B	50
Total	414

**District No. 10**

Wheelerburg	125
Sciotoville	258
Green	125
Total	508

**District No. 11**

Vernon	85
Bloom	155
South Webster	70
Harrison	150
Total	460

**District No. 12**

Valley	128
Jefferson	78
Madison	293
Total	499

**Disagree Over Time For Action**

The question of when the candidates for state delegates should be chosen precipitated quite a controversy and for a while it looked as though some of the rural precincts would announce to their candidates at the meeting speeches pro and con were made on this matter, but when a vote was taken on it those favoring the naming of delegates at a later date carried.

The names of the candidates it was announced must be certified to the county board of election before February 25th. The names of the alternates must also be certified before this specified time.

William J. Gius deemed it advisable for the committeemen to return to their homes and act slowly about naming a delegate candidate and after talks along this line were made action of the character was taken.

Floyd Spears, of Green township, led the opposition to this plan. "Out our way we would

probably have to drive 20 or 25 miles to a meeting and this is no easy task owing to the present condition of the roads," he said.

Other speeches were made against the naming of delegate candidates at a later date were made, but those favoring it were in the majority.

**Are To Hold "Friendly" Meetings**

Hon. Charles E. Hard stated that it was time for the Republicans to hold more meetings and he suggested that the Republicans of Portsmouth and Scioto county should get together once each year if for no other purpose than to renew acquaintances and extend the hand of good fellowship.

"Yes, and to keep up our fences," sang out a voice from the rear.

Dr. J. S. Frizzell, John Eckhart, Dr. Young and others thought it a splendid idea and a resolution was passed that in the future the Republicans of the city and county would hold a yearly reunion in the River City. A committee to arrange for the first affair of this kind will be composed of Dr. J. S. Frizzell of the County Central Committee, Dr. P. W. Young, of the County Executive Committee, Sheriff Smith, of the City Executive Committee, and Charles Wilson, of the City Central Committee.

It was announced at this meeting that two vacancies existed in the City Central Committee and Thomas Brock was named to succeed Sherrard Johnson in A of the Second Ward, and John Statton to succeed E. E. Hise in B of the Fourth Ward.

A committee composed of Chas. E. Hard, Dr. P. W. Young, John Eckhart, Mayor H. H. Kaps and Roy McElhenny was named to select any meeting officials of the Sixth Congressional District may hold in the interest of the delegate to the Republican National Convention in Chicago.

Dr. J. S. Frizzell of Buena Vista acted as chairman of the meeting and Albert Freytag secretary.

**Committees Concur In Resolutions**

Portsmouth, Ohio, February 11, 1916.

At a joint meeting of the Scioto County Republican Central Committee and the Scioto County Republican Executive Committee, the following resolution was adopted, both committees concurring therein.

Scioto county presents Hon. George Davis, of Clay township, as its candidate for delegate to the Republican National Convention at Chicago. The Sixth Congressional District is very largely an agricultural district and its great agricultural interest will be fittingly represented by Mr. Davis, a scientific and most successful farmer. A life long Republican, one who has rendered much party service, of unusual popularity and free from personal antagonisms, a man of large business affairs and experiences, he possesses every gratification for this important station. We feel free to present his candidacy to our sister counties for their approval and support, pledging Scioto county to make reciprocal and generous support to them in return.

Whereas, Hon. George Davis has been endorsed as the Scioto county candidate for delegate to the Republican national convention held in Chicago in June;

And, Whereas a conference of Republicans representing each county in the Sixth District is to be held in the near future;

Be It Resolved, That any and all representatives from Scioto county to said conference or conference instructed to do all in their power and instructed to do all in their power to secure the support of our sister counties for Mr. Davis and

we will sustain and support them in any agreements they may enter into in pursuance to this resolution and the spirit thereof.

**THE SCIOTO COUNTY REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE.**

**J. S. FRIZZELL, Chairman.**  
**AL FREYTAG, Secretary.**

**THE SCIOTO COUNTY REPUBLICAN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.**

**P. W. YOUNG, Chairman.**  
**ED CUNNINGHAM, Secretary.**

The above resolution represents the sentiment of Portsmouth Republican City Central Committee and the Portsmouth Republican City Executive Committee.

**C. W. WILSON, Chairman.**  
**AL FREYTAG, Secretary.**

**OF THE PORTSMOUTH REPUBLICAN CITY CENTRAL COMMITTEE.**

**E. W. SMITH, Chairman.**  
**WILLARD GUSTIN, Secretary.**

**OF THE PORTSMOUTH REPUBLICAN CITY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.**

**Mayor Kaps Presents Resolution**

Mayor H. H. Kaps introduced the following resolutions endorsing the candidacy of Theodore Burton, the administration of Governor Willis, the candidacy of Harry M. Daugherty, the re-nomination of Congressman C. C. Kearns and commending the records of Senator W. D. Trempier and Representative W. R. Sprague.

Two years ago there was a large representation of Democrats in the offices of Scioto county.

One year ago and the City of Portsmouth was almost solidly in the Democratic camp.

In the campaign of 1914 every Democratic county official was swept out of office.

In the campaign of 1915 the Republicans of Portsmouth won the greatest victory in the history of the party, and the city is now solidly Republican.

We congratulate our party on the excellence and popularity of the Republicans elected by it in these campaigns and on the splendid records they are making in the performance of their duties.

We felicitate the party upon the great revival of Republicanism in this county and on these decisive victories which have paved the way for the magnificent Republican triumph awaiting us in the coming presidential election.

We believe cordial and enthusiastic appreciation has been deserved and should be extended to our party out of defeat into victory.

Scioto county has always been for Theodore Burton for president. It had its representatives in the Columbus gathering when his candidacy was declared to the people of Ohio. We believe him by reason of natural ability, thorough knowledge of public affairs, a life time of experience in the halls of Congress, to be the best equipped statesman in the country to perform the duties of the presidential office. Furthermore we believe him to be the most available candidate for the party in the coming campaign.

His unquestioned candor and sincerity, his courage, his honesty have won for him the confidence and respect of all elements of our party, and the East and the West, the North and the South, the conservative and the progressive, can and will gladly unite upon him and march harmoniously to victory.

We congratulate the Republicans of Ohio upon the splendid administration Governor Frank B. Willis is giving the people. Taking office under the most trying circumstances, succeeding an

administration which had for two years devoted its every energy to the attempted building up of an indistinctible political machine, his difficulties were greater than had ever before confronted a state executive. Under the most unfair and unjust criticism, but with fearless and dauntless courage, he has fought until he has practically destroyed the Cox-Finley machine, and, in very large measure, restored their civil rights and home rule to the people. All the departments of his administration are making the finest records for honesty, and economy, and the actual efficiency of service to the people has never been surpassed.

We extend to him our expressions of good will and pledge him a greatly increased majority in November.

In Senator Warren G. Harding the people of Ohio have a man after their own heart.

In the senate of the United States he has a station congenial to his taste and suitable to his talents.

We predict his rapid rise to the leadership in this the greatest legislative body in the world, and will rejoice, when the time comes, to join in promoting him to the greatest office in the gift of American people.

We believe that party service should be both appreciated and rewarded. In years gone by the Republicans of Ohio have drafted Hon. Harry M. Daugherty to lead in great and momentous campaigns. At great personal sacrifice, he has always answered the call of party duty. The time has now come when his devotion to the party should be rewarded.

Without prejudice to other distinguished Republicans who are

now seeking the senate of the United States, we endorse the candidacy of Hon. Harry M. Daugherty, not only because of his party service, his splendid ability, his popularity with the young men of Ohio whose enthusiasm is a great party asset, but because Southern Ohio, with its tremendous Republican majorities, is at this time without recognition and representation in the high honors of the party.

We endorse Hon. Charles C. Kearns for a re-nomination to Congress and predict for him a useful and brilliant congressional career. He has begun his service to the people most auspiciously and by his faithful and efficient performance of his duties has vindicated the judgment of the people in sending him to represent them in the halls of Congress. We desire, in this connection, to express our appreciation of the compliment he has paid Scioto county in choosing one of its most talented young Republicans for the responsible post of private secretary.

We commend the splendid records made by Senator W. D. Trempier and Representative William R. Sprague in the legislative session of 1915. We cordially endorse them for second terms and urge their re-election that they may attain still higher positions in the General Assembly to reflect credit upon themselves and honor to their constituents.

**Those Who Were There**

The county executive committee was represented by W. J. Gius, John Smith, Harry W. Miller, Fred N. Tynes, Roy McElhenny, Spencer Gowdy, John Dais, Charles E. Hard, John Eckhart and Ernest Rieker.

The county central committee was represented by Albert Wegboldt, Alex Woodrow, Chas. Wilson, H. H. Kaps, Judge Bellamy, Thomas Brock, James Bates, J. J. Davidson, George Malone, Ben Johnson, Albert Freytag, William Parker, Albert Yeager, W. S.

Haney, Clifford Smith, Charles E. Hard, Charles Seeley, Pearl Selby, Thomas Riley, James Elmore, H. R. Allen, Charles Blume, Floyd Spears, George Butcher, William McAlanus, W. H. Jenkins, J. S. Frizzell, William Freeman, William Weidner, E. E. Haegeard, A. H. Turner, A. J. Blackman, Dan Hoffer, Frank L. McDaniels, Thos. McClure, H. H. Mittenloef, Henry Rockwell, Frank Lewis and C. C. Johnson.

Phone Jansen your grocery order tonight. Open till 9 o'clock.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**

Harvey B. Conley, 50, minister and hotel proprietor, and Edna J. Kirk, 57, both of Paintsville, Ky. Squire Finney.

William Appleton, 39, farmer, and Helen Giles, 32, both of Washington township, Rev. Gordon.

Jay S. Goodman, 33, merchant, Chattanooga, Tenn., to Hazel Atlas, 21, city. Rev. Solomon Freehoff.

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\* If you are too fat and want to reduce your weight \*  
\* 15 or 20 pounds, don't starve \*  
\* your system, or think you \*  
\* must always be laughed at \*  
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\* go to any good drug store, and \*  
\* get a box of Oil of Koraire \*  
\* capsules, take one after each \*  
\* meal and one before retiring \*  
\* at night.

\* Weigh yourself once a week and note what a pleasant and reliable method this is for removing superfluous fat from any part of the body.

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## YAQUI INDIANS DISPERSED AND MANY TAKEN

Douglas, Ariz., Feb. 11.—The capture of a large number of Yaqui Indians and the dispersal of the remainder of a band of several hundred that raided San Fernando Snora several days ago, has been effected at Sierra de la Palma, twenty-five miles west of Turin by troops under command

## College Notes

Miss Bessie Morrison, a student at the Portsmouth College of Business, is assisting Miss Blanche Smith with the office work at Mr. Labold's, on Front street.

Miss Ruth Fritz of Chinnville, Ky., a student at the Portsmouth College of Business is assisting with the work in the Commercial Building and Loan office.

Miss Vendetta McDaniel, a stenographic student at the Portsmouth College of Business, is doing some special work for Messrs. Blair and Kimble.

Prof. Chas. C. Bridwell of the Portsmouth College of Business, has been laid up at his home, at 1521 Franklin avenue for several days with malaria.

A beautiful bouquet of carnations from the book-keeping department received by him on Thursday was greatly appreciated.

Phone Jansen your grocery order tonight. Open till 9 o'clock.

In Queen City.  
Harry S. Howe is in Cincinnati on business for H. S. Howe & Co., local automobile dealers.

Back At Work.  
William Herdt, a tailor employed by the Wolff Clothing Company, has returned to work after paying a short visit to relatives in Columbus.

## Seek Injunctions To Enforce Yost Prohibition Law

Wheeling, W. Va., Feb. 11.—Application for five injunctions to close as many alleged "speakeasies" will be made tomorrow to Judge H. C. Hearvey, in circuit court, by Attorney Charles M. Earhart, acting for State Tax Commissioner Fred O. Blue, who is ex-officio commissioner of prohibition. The petitions have been prepared and notices were served today.

The application for injunctions is declared to be only the beginning of the latest move to enforce prohibition here. "This is only a start," said

Attorney Earhart. "Before many weeks we expect to close every speakeasy in Wheeling by proceeding in the courts of equity."

## WILL EXTOL VIRTUE OF LINCOLN

The Boy Scouts of Portsmouth will extol the virtues of Abraham Lincoln tonight in four big meetings to be held in various parts of the city. The Lincoln celebration is a part of the Boy Scout Anniversary Week program. At 6:30 the boys of Troop 8 and 11 will assemble at Manti church where the following program will be rendered:

The Scout's Oath—Troop.  
Business Session.  
Lincoln's Gettysburg Speech—Scoutmaster.

Address, "Lincoln As A Scout," Frank Davis.

Address, "Lincoln The Statesman," Corwin Knowles.

Address, "Lincoln The Christian," Darsie Hamilton.

Reading from "East End Bugle," Scoutmaster.

Merit Badges Lincoln Won—Harry R. Doll.

Debate, "Resolved, That Lincoln Was A Greater Man Than Washington." Affirmative, Jas. Scott and Corwin Knowles; negative, Carl Edwards and Frank Davis.

This troop assembled at the home of Corwin Knowles right after school and then wended their way to the Children's Home on Grant street where they "pounded" the kiddies. There were oranges, bananas and candies. This was their observance of "Good Turn" day.

Other scout rallies billed for tonight are as follows: Troops 1, 3 and 5 at First Presbyterian church. Troops 2, 4 and 10 at Trinity. Troops 7 and 9 at the U. B. church. These will all be Lincoln Day programs.

DR. G. A. SULZER

Removed to 200 E. State Street, Columbus, Ohio. 1-11

## RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, Feb. 11, 1916.  
(75th Meridian Time.)

Place	High	Low	Forecast
Franklin	15 2.0 F	-0.2	
Greensboro	15 10.1 F	-0.3	
Pittsburgh	22 4.4 F	-0.7	
Dan No. 12	36 8.6 F	-1.4	
Zanesville	25 10.2 F	-0.1	
Parkersburg	36 13.0 F	-0.6	
Charleston	30 8.1 F	-0.2	
Pt Pleasant	39 18.6 R	-0.5	
Huntington	50 22.2 F	-0.6	
Cattlettsburg	50 24.9 F	-0.4	
Portsmouth	50 26.4 F	-1.4	
Cincinnati	50 30.1 F	-2.1	

## FORECAST.

Increasing cloudiness probably followed by rain late tonight and Saturday over upper Ohio valley. River at Portsmouth will fall slowly tonight and probably Saturday.

H. C. DONNALLY,  
River Observer.

The Ohio river was 28.4 ft. and falling Friday morning. The only packet departure advertised for Saturday is that of the steamer Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p. m.

## BEN HURS.

All members are urged to meet at the hall at 7:30 this evening to attend the exhibit theatre in a body. THOS. McLAUGHLIN.  
Feb. 11-16

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR REMOVAL.

Alfred Ray, a licensee to traffic in intoxicating liquors, whose place of business is now located at 1209 8th Street, Portsmouth, Ohio, has filed application with this Board requesting its consent to remove his place of business to 1211 Walter Street, Portsmouth, Ohio.

George Focht, a licensee to traffic in intoxicating liquors, whose place of business is now located at 1015 Walter Street, Portsmouth, Ohio, has filed application with this Board requesting its consent to remove his place of business to 1209 8th Street, Portsmouth, Ohio.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto attached our official signatures this 9th day of February 1916.  
SIOUX COUNTY LIQUOR LICENSING BOARD.  
P. W. YOUNG,  
DAVID STAHLER,  
Attest: David Stahl, Secretary.

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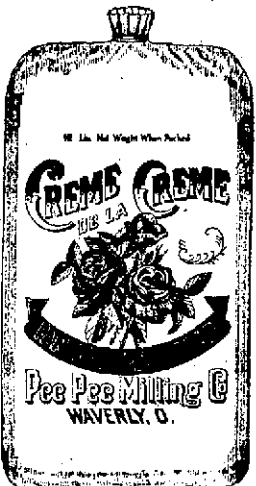
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It has lived up to every recommendation. Order a sack today and your grocer will give you a sack of meal free.



## CREME DE LA CREME

Costs no more but it goes further. It's the flour of strength and purity—the housewife's delight.

Rich, wholesome bread, palatable pies, flaky cakes and quality pastries—the result of using

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made from selected Ohio wheat with just enough spring wheat added to give it the required lightness and flakiness and rich nutty flavor.

In the published list of dealers handling Creme De La Creme flour the names of J. J. Brushart, 921 Gallia street, and W. F. McAfee, 1043 Fifteenth street were inadvertently omitted.

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## That Is the Trouble— Too Many Pairs of Shoes!

Our store looks like a crowded shoe factory—the way we have the sale shoes displayed—Shoes hanging everywhere

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## SHOES FOR MEN Made by Douglas Shoe Co. (Everybody Knows Them)

\$3.50 Stamp Price, Sale Price .....\$2.49  
\$4.00 Stamp Price, Sale Price .....\$2.69  
\$4.50 Stamp Price, Sale Price .....\$2.89

Made by Heywood Shoe Co.  
(One of our leading lines)  
Our regular special price on these was \$4.50 and are the best shoes on earth at the price. Sale price \$2.99

Made by Florsheim Shoe Co.  
(Our leading line)  
\$5.00 Regular Price, Sale Price .....\$3.69  
There are not a great many of these but are wonderful bargains.

ODD LOTS FOR MEN  
1 lot of Heavy Shoes .....\$1.69  
3 lots of Dress Shoes .....\$1.99  
Some specials at .....\$2.19

GUM BOOTS  
Men's Duck Vamp .....\$2.85

BOYS' SHOES  
1 big lot box of Shoes .....\$1.69  
1 big lot Button Shoes .....\$1.49  
A special lot .....\$1.39

GIRLS' HI TOP SHOES  
\$3.50 grade, sale price .....\$1.99  
\$3.00 grade, sale price .....\$1.69  
\$2.00 grade, sale price .....\$1.39

## SHOES FOR LADIES RED CROSS SHOES

Worth \$5, \$4.50, \$4, sale price .....\$2.49  
Patent Cloth Top, Button and Lace, Dull Kid, Button, Bright Kid, Lace and Button, almost any style you want in the sale.

W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES FOR LADIES  
Stamp Price \$3.50, Sale Price .....\$2.29  
In Patent Leather, Gun Metal and Kid Leathers, both button and lace; beautiful shoes.

SPECIAL ATTENTION—\$1.00 A PAIR  
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Sizes 2 1-2, 3, 3 1-2 and 4. All styles, all leathers, 200 pairs of shoes in this lot.

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Almost every conceivable style.

MOTHERS, LISTEN!  
We are selling our regular line of beautiful Soft Sole Shoes.

All colors and combinations .....18c  
If your baby is walking or learning to walk we have a fine kid button shoe with a light turn sole in the sale for .....53c

# WINTER'S

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## DEAL MEANS FLATS

The home of the late D. P. Pratt, located on Fourth street near Market, has been sold to Fred Klingman, West Second street dry-goods merchant. Mr. Klingman will convert the home into two ideal flats. The deal was closed by F. H. Pritts, who also sold George Lockbaum's home on Eleventh street to Charles Grassman.

## Will Give An Entertainment

The following special entertainment will be given at the Upper Lick Run school, Saturday night, Feb. 12.  
Singing, Choir.  
Play "Wax Dolls", Senior

Class of Wheelersburg H. S.  
Violin Music, Home Talent.  
Debate, "Resolved, That Married Life Is Happier Than Single Life."  
Affirmative: Johnson Sauer, Bert Jones. Negative: McKinley Sauer, Lewis Small.  
Singing, Guy Baumgardner.  
From reports there will be a very large crowd present.

You Can Save 10 to 15 Per Cent ON YOUR SHOE BILL AT Baker's No Fake Values There 845 Gallia St.

## To Dedicate Organ At Columbia On Monday

The popular Columbia theatre on Gallia street will no doubt be packed at all performances next Monday, as formal dedication of the magnificent new pipe organ installed in it will then take place. It will be a continuous performance, as the program will continue through the supper hour. The organ, which is of the

Wurlitzer type, and is known as the Wurlitzer Pipe organ, or Motion Picture Orchestra, will be played by Mrs. Wilkoff, who is an expert demonstrator of Wurlitzer pipe organs. A famous Tringale program will also be shown Monday, and this combination will no doubt pack the Columbia at all performances.

## HUSBAND CLAIMS WIFE IS TO BLAME

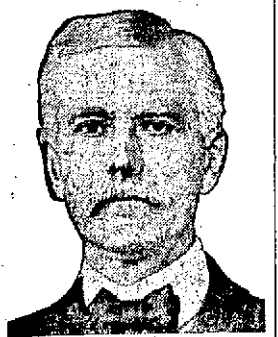
The plaintiff makes some hot charges in his reply and answer to the cross-petition filed Friday, in the divorce case of James H. Holley against his wife, Nancy Ann. Holley alleges that the defendant often used obscene and profane language toward him and in the presence of their children

## Well Known Remedy Relieves Chronic Case

Important to Dispose of Waste From the Stomach With Regularity

People frequently attribute to failure of the digestive organs conditions that are primarily due to inactive bowels, and apply remedies that from their very nature are more apt to aggravate than to relieve the disorder.

When the bowels act regularly the stomach is in better shape to perform its allotted tasks and can usually be depended upon. To keep the bowels in condition there is no more effective remedy than the combination of simple laxative herbs known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin which is sold in stores for fifty cents a bottle. Dr. Caldwell has prescribed this remedy in his practice for over a century and it is today the standard household remedy in thousands of homes. Mr. Thos. DeLoach, with the Department of the Interior, Office of Indian Affairs, at Washington, wrote Dr. Caldwell recently that "Dr. Cald-



MR. THOS. DELOACH

well's Syrup Pepsin is the best laxative I have any knowledge of and the cleaning up guaranteed by its use relieves every organ." A bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin should be on hand in every home for use when needed. A trial bottle, free of charge, can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 454 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

## QUICK HELP FOR A CROUPY CHILD SIMPLE--HARMLESS

When your child is croupy, cross, feverish, full of cold, restless and irritable, try this:

Get a small tube of NOSTRIOLA of your druggist, apply to nostrils and on chest and throat—also under arm-pits and on soles of feet. NOSTRIOLA is absolutely harmless (formula on every package) and this simple common-sense treatment will clear the head, instantly stop that terrible chokey, croupy cough and quickly change a half-sick, fretful child into a happy playful one.

The old method of dosing the stomach for colds and croup is wrong and harmful. Get a small tube of your druggist today and you'll wish you had tried NOSTRIOLA sooner.

## HAVE SOLD HOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. George Lockbaum have sold their home at 1125 Eleventh street to Charles Grassman, to Chillicothe street baker. Mr. and Mrs. Lockbaum will soon move to Columbus, where they have purchased a fine home near the Ohio State University grounds.

## Will Boost McCormack

Alfred Wiley of Huntington, will pay the city a visit "next week in the interest of John McCormack, who will give a song recital in Huntington in March. Mr. Wiley will endeavor to work up a party from here for the McCormack recital.

## Mr. Howland Makes Report

At the weekly session of the Carpenters' Union Thursday evening Victor Howland, delegate of the local union read his report on the State Carpenters Convention held in Dayton, O., last week. The meeting was one of the most largely attended ever held by the local.

## Brush Creek Visitor

Thomas Riley, a well known Brush Creek township farmer, was in the city Friday on business.

Deputy Treasurer Gilbert F. Dadds is laid up at his home on Fourth street with an aggravated attack of grip.

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## The Movies

Columbia Tonight "The Five Faults of Flo," Mutual Masterpiece in Five Parts. "The Five Faults of Flo," a five part Mutual masterpiece at the Columbia tonight is a sensational society drama featuring Florence Lalladie, well remembered star of "Million Dollar Mystery" fame.

The day Flo overheard her husband tell a confidential friend that his wife was everything that was sweet and charming. Time was, however, as Flo well knew, that she had five dominant faults—pride, envy, fickleness, extravagance and jealousy. She knew, too, that she had been cured of these several serious failings by severe experiences that were well nigh tragedies. If you are interested in knowing how Flo was cured, see this magnificent masterpiece. It is a play you will long remember.

Harold Lockwood and May Allison in "The Broken Cross" at the Lyric Tomorrow.

That popular pair of Mutual favorites, Harold Lockwood and May Allison, will be seen tomorrow in one of the best love dramas they have ever acted, "The Broken Cross." In addition to this there will be an extra picture of exceptional merit called "A Modern Sphinx," making a banner show at the Lyric tomorrow.

Monday brings the much heralded masterpiece, "The Reluctant Vagabond," the exquisite coloring, the meaty story, the wonderful acting and excellent settings of this six part drama make it an extraordinary attraction. It is

one of those superb productions that make millions of friends for the silent drama. The admission will be only ten cents, afternoon and evening.

## "Her Happiness" At The Majestic Tonight

We have tonight Viola Dana, the sweetest little girl in the photodrama today, and Johnnie Walker, who plays in a three reel feature one of the most beautiful pictures the Edison company ever filmed. Its title is "Her Happiness." Viola and Harry are sweethearts and members of a choir in a church in a small town. Viola is a daughter of J. Winters, a small town banker. Harry is a chauffeur in a small garage in the town. Mr. Winters, has higher ambition for his daughter and refuses his consent to their marriage. The fourth reel is a Vitagraph, "In The Society Circus." Tomorrow's big feature is a two reel Charlie Chaplin production, entitled "Mabel at the Wheel."

## "Where the Heather Blooms" at the Arcana Tonight.

Gordon McKay has been living so extravagantly that creditors have become daily callers at his home. While meditating what should be done, he receives a letter from Scotland, notifying him that it is the wish of a rich relative that he should come to Scotland, marry the Lady Mary and become the owner of a vast estate. However, later on, he proves his worth, wins the love of the daughter and as he loves her, they are happily united in marriage.

"The Water Clue" is a single reel detective story, very mysterious, and perplexing, but through the extraordinary ability of a detective, a man is released from the charge of murder.

"The Vacuum Test" has no relation, whatever, to the testing of a vacuum cleaner, something entirely different. 'Tis a combination picture story of many original ideas.

## "The Strange Unknown" at the Exhibit Tonight.

Blanche Clark, an actress, falls in love with Lack Whitney, an American artist in Paris, as he paints her portrait. Leon Bassel loves her and her supposed wealth. She cares nothing for him but he has great influence over her. Blanche's step-sister, Meta, whom Lack loves, lives in New York, with her father, Andrew Clark, who dies. Lack gets the news and then finds that Blanche is Meta's sister. Leon reads the news in the paper and goes to Blanche only to discover that Clark disowned her when she became an actress.

See Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Drew in "A Safe Investment" and don't try all kinds of mining stocks for as Billy Sunday says "Chickens Come Home to Roost." The picture gives full information on this subject.

## "Lord John's Journal at the Strand Tonight.

"Lord John in New York" is the title of the first episode in a series of twelve Gold Seal four reel dramas written by G. N. and A. M. Williamson, featuring the American favorite, Wm. Garwood. This very interesting and fascinating series of detective romances is now being run as a feature in McClure's and The Ladies' World also the Sunday Enquirer and will appear on our screen once a month for twelve months.

Tomorrow brings everybody's favorite, J. Warren Kerrigan in "The Widow's Secret," two-reel Victor.

## Temple Theatre

Tonight we have a very sensational detective play entitled "The Long Arm of the Law," in multiple reels. The detective triumphs, stealthily the hand reaching for the door knob. The noose hung over it. In a moment the

slueth would be snared. The adventurer pressed the wall button then the floor disappeared into the water splashed the fugitive.

The last feature is an Essanay special, entitled "The Circular Path" in three part, a heart-throb-

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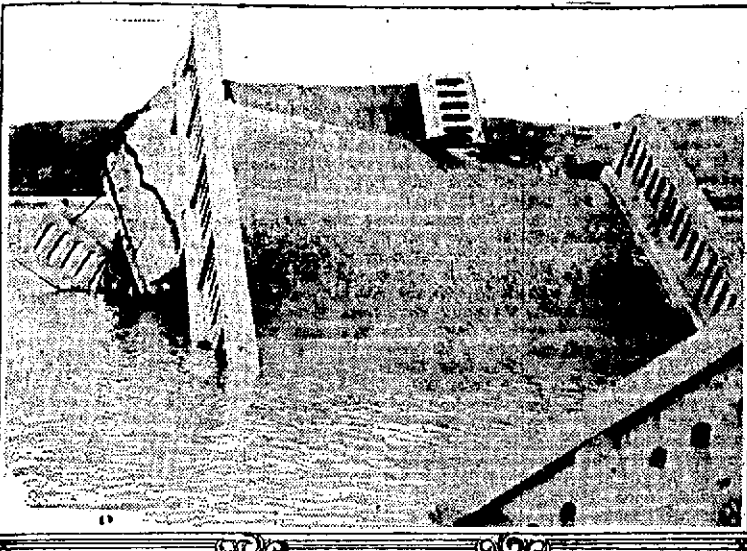
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## FLOOD WATERS DESTROY HANDSOME BRIDGE NEAR SAN DIEGO



In the great flood that swept the San Diego valley scores of lives were lost and millions of dollars worth of property was damaged or destroyed. Photo shows what is left of a handsome new \$25,000 concrete railway bridge across the San Diego river, near San Diego.

## GERMAN COMMANDER SLAYS SUBORDINATES AFTER HIS SUBMARINE IS CAPTURED

New York, Feb. 11.—Dr. M. S. Inglis, a Canadian army surgeon, who arrived today on the Anchor liner Cameroun from Liverpool, declared that he had knowledge of the capture in British nets of 17 German submarines and told how the crew of one of them had been found shot to death after it had been towed ashore. Dr. Inglis said he had been allowed to descend into this submarine and had seen the bodies.

## WARRANTS ON THE ALLEGED VIOLATORS ARE TO BE SERVED

San Francisco, Feb. 11.—The serving of warrants upon men and firms named in the 41 indictments returned by the Federal grand jury in the so-called neutrality and bond cases is set for today and it is said that most of those indicted will appear in court to give bond for their appearance when the cases come up for trial.

Franz Bopp, German consul general and the vice consul, Eckhard H. Van Chark are to be served with warrants, but as a courtesy to the government they represent they will not be required to furnish bonds.

Bonds in the case of the alleged neutrality violations were fixed at \$1,000 on each count, and in the case of the so-called bond-plots at \$25,000.

Wm. F. Royce, assistant United States Immigration Commissioner here, and twenty-six others, including immigration officers, employees of the Pacific Mail Company and a custom-house broker, also are to be arrested today on charges of conspiracy to smuggle Chinese into the United States. Those against whom indictments were returned by the Federal grand jury include thirteen whites and fourteen Chinese. They have bond in each case has been fixed at \$1,000.

## LILLY, OHIO

There will be services at Union church Saturday and Sunday.

Edith and Lloyd Baer, of Webster, were visiting relatives in this vicinity last week.

Mrs. Arch Bessy, of Happy Hollow, gave a carpet sewing Thursday. Those present were: Mesdames Martin Grashel, Lewis White, Frank Hall, Sophie Yeley, John Cook, Chas. Ford Spray and son, Chas. Charlie Jenkins and son, Gilbert, John Yeley and Abraham Correll.

Mrs. Jacob East, of Troy, O., was visiting Mrs. George Baer, Friday.

Mr. John Turner sold his house and lot and store room in Happy Hollow to Fred Turner, of Wait's.

Mrs. Martin Hall, of New Boston, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Turner are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Mrs. John Kemper spent Monday afternoon with friends at Wait's.

Mrs. George Baer and grand-daughter, Zehna, Lloyd and Edith Baer, spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Turner.

Mr. William Roth and Ira Ashley, whites and fourteen Chinese. They have bond in each case has been fixed at \$1,000.

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## ROCKY FORK

Rev. J. J. Upton, of Otway, failed to fill his regular appointment at Berea Chapel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edna Pierce and little daughter, Audrey, of Whitcomb, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burley, of Watson Run.

Mr. Oakley Newman, of Big Run, was seen going in our vicinity Saturday. What's the attraction there, Oakley?

Mr. William and Freeman Perry, of Wausleyville, were through this vicinity one day last week. Glad to see you, boys.

Mr. Roy Richard has purchased a fine horse from Mr. J. E. Blackburn, of Otway. Roy says he certainly can take the girls out buggy-riding now.

Mrs. Rachel Day, of Post Center, spent Tuesday night with her sister, Mrs. Nancy Ann Hudson, of Silver Ridge.

Mr. Sheridan Platt, of Shawnee, was on our streets Wednesday. Glad to see you, Sheridan.

Mr. Wesley Coleman, of Rome, was the pleasant guest of his niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Elmore and family, Sunday night.

# Canter's Quality Store

## Saturday's Special

Last Saturday our store was packed from the time our doors were opened until closing time, to take advantage of the quality goods we sell the economical housewife, a saving of 20 per cent on your grocery bill 4 weeks, a month, will buy that spring hat. To convince yourself read this ad and compare prices with what you are paying. Do not be misled, these are all standard goods. We buy in carload lots, the same as jobbers, save the middleman's profit. Am going to make Saturday, Feb. 12th a banner day.

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## NEW BOSTON

The new members were added to the W. O. W. membership list Thursday evening at the regular meeting of the order. John Niece and Randolph Cantell were given the first degree. Several applications were also received. Sovereign Jacob Kah, Deputy Roy McElhenny and Capt. Leslie Janetzky of the city camp of the W. O. W., were present and made short talks. Arrangements are being made for a membership campaign.

The street committee of council, Messrs. Osbar Caburn, Fred Essman and W. T. Harr will probably decide tonight before council meeting on who will be given the contract for the erection of the village vault.

Canter has received a large shipment of that fresh roasted bulk coffee that sells four pounds for 60 cents.

Members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church met in an all day session at the home of Mrs. Charles Burcham on East Rhodes avenue Thursday.

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Miss Margaret Emmert will entertain a number of friends at her home on Gallia street this evening.

"The Idle Rich" At The Thalian  
"The Idle Rich" is the feature attraction at the Thalian today. It is a screaming tragedy, an L-Ko Comedy feature production. "Jinks" is a western melodrama featuring Lon Chaney and Arthur Shirley. J. Warren Kerrigan and Episode No. 6 of "The Broken Coin" features Saturday's ten cent bill.

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## HIGH SCHOOL GIRL'S BODY FOUND IN WOODS

Chicago, Feb. 11.—An autopsy performed by coroner's physicians early today, served only to deepen the mystery surrounding the death of Miss Marion Frances Lambert, the 18-year-old high school girl, whose body was found yesterday in a wooded section of the estate of Harold F. McCormack, at Lake Forest, Ill.

Although the fact that the body was frozen prevented officials from determining the exact cause of death, it was believed for several hours that an attack had been made on the girl. This was denied today and Coroner John L. Taylor gave out the following statement:

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## The Effects of Opiates.

THAT INFANTS are peculiarly susceptible to opium and its various preparations, all of which are narcotic, is well known. Even in the smallest doses, if continued, these opiates cause changes in the functions and growth of the cells which are likely to become permanent, causing imbecility, mental perversion, a craving for alcohol or narcotics in later life. Nervous diseases, such as intractable nervous dyspepsia and lack of staying powers are a result of dosing with opiates or narcotics to keep children quiet in their infancy. The rule among physicians is that children should never receive opiates in the smallest doses for more than a day at a time, and only then if unavoidable.

The administration of Anodynes, Drops, Cordials, Soothing Syrups and other narcotics to children by any but a physician cannot be too strongly decried, and the druggist should not be a party to it. Children who are ill need the attention of a physician, and it is nothing less than a crime to dose them willfully with narcotics.

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# MURDER, CLAIM GIRL'S RELATIVES

## NO WATER FOUND IN LUNGS OF VICTIM

### Second Postmortem Is Being Held; New Clues Are Followed

Acquiescing in the wishes of relatives of the girl found dead in Millbrook park lake Thursday and whose father Friday identified her as Miss Estella Leola Hosey, of Pine Grove, Coroner Dr. J. W. Daehler and Dr. O. R. Micklethwait, began a second or more thorough post mortem examination Friday afternoon.

The brain of the dead young woman is to be examined and a chemical analysis will be made of the stomach which may be sent away for that purpose. The relatives have advanced the theory that the girl had been drugged during a visit to Millbrook park and seeing the drug had a fatal effect upon the defenseless girl the murderer to cover up his crime cast her body into the water.

"I'M SURE IT IS MURDER"

"I am thoroughly convinced that my daughter was murdered," said Albert S. Hosey, when seen by a Times man at the home of his brother, William Hosey, of New Eighth street, Friday afternoon.

Mr. Hosey when asked what the possible motive could have been for anyone taking the girl's life said the unknown slayer knew his victim to be a pure and virtuous girl and resorted to the use of a drug, perhaps placed in a cup of drinking water or in candy—then seeing it had killed her thought only of shielding himself and thought to conceal the crime by making away with her lifeless body.

#### WILL TAKE BODY BACK HOME

Mr. Hosey said he would re-fled the body as that of their daughter. Mr. Hosey, after a conference with relatives personally requested Coroner Daehler to hold a second examination of the body.

The first examination, held Thursday afternoon, showed that there was no water on the lungs which too indicates that life was extinct before the body reached the lake.

#### AN UNUSUAL FEATURE.

An unusual circumstance connected with the finding of the body was the fact that the girl's arms were resting downward. Usually with drowned persons the hands and arms are raised above the head. When in that position

#### TWO MEN HEARD SCREAMS.

Ed Pollock and Morris Rath-Brown, a Gallia street merchant, recall a strange experience they

had last Monday afternoon which they thought might have some connection with the mystery and therefore reported the facts to the authorities Friday.

The men were returning from Seaboard and Star Yards and were approaching New Boston when near the Millbrook lake they heard what sounded like a woman's scream. The next instant they were startled to see a tall man run five or six steps then look back for an instant after which he disappeared up the hill-side.

The relatives attach much importance to the letters and telegrams found among the girl's personal effects, believing that they will furnish the clue that will unravel the mystery of her death.

It was the receipt of a letter three weeks ago that caused Miss

#### GIVES GIRL GOOD CHARACTER.

Mrs. Hosey said that her niece was a modest, quiet and refined young woman and seldom went out after dark. Another letter that came addressed to her in her care a few days ago she left unopened, but turned it over to the father upon his arrival here Friday morning.

The letter was from the same man whom Miss Hosey was to have met and accompanied to Ironton but no reference whatever is made in the missive to

#### FRIENDS WITH IRONTON MAN.

It is known that Miss Hosey had met an Ironton young man when she was returning to Portsmouth after a holiday visit to her home. Her younger sister, Mabel, had accompanied her to the train at Ironton. The father had given the girl her railroad fare but the young man stepped up and over Miss Hosey's protest paid for her ticket. He accompanied her to Portsmouth and they had carried on a correspondence ever since.

It is said she also corresponded with another young man, whom she had known before.

Mr. Hosey said he had been very careful in bringing up his daughters, and Estella had never kept steady company with anyone, though she frequently attended social gatherings in the neighborhood of the family home. He reiterated his intention of prosecuting the case to the very bottom.

The relatives have also received a report that Miss Hosey had been seen in Ironton since her disappearance.

Sheriff Pete Smith has lines out for the various suspects, and the next twenty-four hours is expected to bring some interesting developments. Coroner Daehler said Friday afternoon that he might hold an inquest later.

Henry Koger, a Millbrook park policeman, Thursday afternoon, walked all around the big lake in hopes of finding the dead girl's hat, handkerchief or something else that might throw additional light on the case but the trip was a fruitless one.

The body of the well-dressed young woman found in Millbrook lake Thursday was positively identified Friday morning as that of Miss Estella Leola Hosey, aged 20 years, of Pine Grove Furnace, Lawrence county, and relatives, including her father, who made the identification, have advanced the claim that she was murdered.

A mysterious special delivery letter and another letter and some telegrams addressed to Miss Hosey in care of her aunt, Mrs. Julia Hosey, of 2006 Sixth street, where she roomed and boarded while employed in Portsmouth, were turned over to Sheriff Pete Smith soon after the identification was made and some startling developments are expected.

#### Left Her Home Sat. Jan. 29

According to the relatives Miss Hosey, who worked at the Mitchell Manufacturing company's plant, where she operated a spooler, was last seen by any of them Saturday, January 29, when she said she was going to Ironton for a few days and would then return and go back to work. She expected to go to Ironton on a noon N. & W. train. The relatives claim to have the names of two girls who saw her at the N. & W. depot.

One of the letters was from a Cleveland man whom she was directed to join on N. & W. train No. 16. The tone of the letter indicated that he was her sweet heart.

#### Threat Was In Letter

Another letter is said to have contained a threat if she met another man. The relatives were unaware that the girl had any love affair until the discovery of the letters and dispatches among her personal effects. They contend that she had no domestic troubles of any kind, was happy and contented and had no reason whatever for ending her own life.

#### "We Think It Is Murder"

"We will believe nothing else

but what she was murdered," exclaimed Morell K. Keller, a well known machinist of 2130 Ninth street, who is a relative by marriage. He said that there were three men involved and that the family was determined to sift the case to the very bottom and bring to justice those responsible for the girl's death.

#### Father Makes Identification

The body was identified by the girl's father, Albert S. Hosey, an employee of the Hanging Rock Iron company, by a scar on the left side of the lower lip, which he said Estella had had since she was a mere child, having sustained it in a fall. The shape of the face and head sort of convinced him it was his daughter before he stepped around to the other side of the body and looked for the scar. Mr. Hosey was accompanied by a son, Orville E. Hosey, who too felt the body was that of his sister.

Mr. Hosey's brother, William Hosey, a teamster for P. H. Harsha, miller, and Mr. Keller were also at the Daehler morgue when the identification was made.

#### That Is My Girl

"That's my girl," exclaimed Mr. Hosey as soon as he saw the scar. He also identified her by her fine, white, solid teeth. But for this identification perhaps would have been difficult for the face was badly discolored.

Mr. Hosey's brother and the latter's two daughters, Nola and Winnie had visited the morgue Thursday night. While feeling positive the coat was that of their cousin the girls were not so certain about the other garments. They concluded however to communicate with her father at once and learned that the girl had not been home. The father and son came down from Ironton on an early train Friday.

#### Foreman Views Body

John Vogt, a foreman at the Mitchell Manufacturing company's plant, Friday morning examined the garments at the Daehler undertaking establishment. He thought the coat was that of Miss Hosey. He also viewed the body and felt quite certain it was that of the missing working girl. Mr. Vogt said he had seen Miss Hosey pass his home at 1303 Seventeenth street, Sunday morning, January 30. He said a young man was escorting her. If Mr. Vogt is correct in his recollection he saw her the day after the relatives say she was last seen alive.

The post-mortem examination conducted by Dr. Walter Daehler, the county coroner, and Dr. O. R. Micklethwait, Thursday afternoon revealed that there was no reason for the young woman to commit suicide.

Spent Xmas At Her Home

Miss Hosey spent Christmas at her home, remaining for a several days' visit. She had been employed at the Irving Drew company's Tenth street plant since November, leaving there to go home on December 23. Upon her return to Portsmouth early in January, Miss Hosey took employment at the Mitchell Manufacturing company's plant re-

maining there up until Friday, January 21. She quit of her own accord, it is stated at the factory, saying she wanted to go to Ironton for a few days' visit. She asked for the balance of wages due her. This was for 32 hours work. She was told she could not secure her money until pay day and was urged to come back and go to work for good. She agreed to come in on Monday but failed to show up and had not been heard of at the factory since. The money due her remains still unclaimed.

Miss Hosey, according to her employers, got along nicely with her work, appeared in good spirits and drew good money. They were surprised when she quit and requested her to remain.

After hearing of the finding of a young woman's body in the lake and learning that Miss Hosey's name had been mentioned as the possible victim the fellow employees of the girl at the factory prevailed upon Foreman Vogt to visit the Daehler morgue Friday morning to view the body.

Mr. Vogt said that when he last saw Miss Hosey alive was a week after she had quit or on Sunday, January 30, and as she never called for her money and as she claimed that she needed it for the trip she expected to make to Ironton, he felt positive that she never left Portsmouth.

#### Both Were Smiling

He said both she and her male companion were smiling when

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You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and never fails to do the work.

they passed his home. As he expected to see her back to work the following day he said he thought no more about it.

Miss Hosey when she left her boarding place, informed her aunt that she had quit her position and was going to Ironton but would return in two weeks. It was nine o'clock on the morning of Saturday, January 29, that she left Mrs. Julia Hosey's home to go to the depot.

The undertakers who handled the body after its recovery from the lake and many of those who viewed it appear to seriously doubt that the girl had been in the water more than three or four days. This was also the opinion of Coroner Daehler.

#### Was Only About 20 Years Old

The dead girl was born at Pine Grove, June 10, 1895, the daughter of Albert S. and Mrs. Estella Brumbaugh-Hosey. After she had finished her schooling there she remained at home, assisting the mother in housework until a year ago, when she went to Ironton, taking employment as a domestic in a prominent family of that city. She came to Portsmouth last fall.

Besides her parents Miss Hosey is survived by a younger sister, Miss Mabel, aged 16 years, and five brothers, Orville E., Carl, Will, Albert and Woodrow Hosey, all at home. She was a member of the Pine Grove Methodist church. Though she had not been home since the holidays she corresponded regularly with her parents.

Hundreds of morbid curious visited the Daehler morgue Thursday night and Friday morning to view the remains of the park lake mystery.

Phone Jansen your grocery order tonight. Open till 9 o'clock.

#### MIDSHIPMEN DISMISSED

Washington, Feb. 11.—Secretary Daniels today approved the recommendations of the academic board at the naval academy dismissing 82 midshipmen for failure in their studies.

#### Hypercrites.

If Satan ever laughs it must be at hypocrites; they are the greatest dupes he has.—Colton.

## Suits Filed

Suits aggregating \$2100 for labor performed for the Curtis Ward company were filed in Squire Gableman's court in Waverly, Friday, by Attorney Mark A. Crawford of this city.

C. Rehm of Picketon, Henry Blakeman and L. D. Crabtree also of Pike county, filed suits against the Curtis-Ward company for lumber bills they alleges the firm failed to pay.

#### Teaching a Parrot.

Don't try to teach Polly to talk unless she is perfectly tame and quite cunning. Begin on a one syllabled word without "th" or "ch" in it; then let her pronounce her name. Repeat the word you're trying to teach her endlessly and always in exactly the same tone of voice. If, as sometimes happens, Polly can't be taught to talk, repeat over and over again a whistle, a call or any other unusual sound. This will teach her to imitate, and she may from that go to repeating words and sentences.

#### A "Fast" Train.

"Speaking of railroads," said the truthful man, "the ultimate word in my experience, was a certain 'limited' on which I traveled last summer. At a point where we were making our greatest speed a man stood at the side of the track with a moving picture machine. I leaned out of the window and called to him, 'How are you getting on?'"

"He stopped turning the crank and spoke with an expression of deep disgust."

"I don't seem 'to be no use,' he said. 'Hold your head still, please. I want to get a true exposure.'—Everybody's."

#### Olive Trees.

Olive trees produce alternate crops, a full yield generally being followed by a scanty one the next year.

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# Last Chance To Get That New Suit at a Very Low Price!

The next few days will see the close of our

## Reduction Sale!

New goods are filling the shelves and rather than carry the heavier suits over until next season we are offering

# 20 % OFF

on every winter suit in the house in Men's, Young Men's and Children's garments.

There are still many patterns to select from but the next few days will be your last opportunity to get a suit at this low price.

## The Famous

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511 SECOND STREET



Choice Styles Are Here In New Spring Millinery

As usual Manning's Millinery Department is a little ahead in showing the new styles each season so be sure to come tomorrow or the first part of next week and see these pretty new hats that have just arrived from eastern designers.

The small shape made or trimmed with leather is correct and here you will find them in all colors, all styles and all moderately priced.

ALMOST EVERY DAY BRINGS NEW STYLES TO THIS DEPARTMENT

Even if you are not prepared to buy at present it will pay you and please you to drop in and see the new creations of master designers at

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### CANDY SPECIALS

A large line of 50c and 60c box chocolates that we are selling at reduced prices. All fine and fresh.

1 pound boxes Triola Sweets, each piece with a fruit center .....30c

1 pound boxes Assorted Nut Chocolates, heavily coated, good quality .....30c

1 pound box Milk Chocolates, assorted, something new and delicious .....30c

1 pound box Assorted Chocolates, a good eating variety at .....20c

1 pound box Chocolate Cream Peppermints.

She will appreciate one of these with her valentine. We will deliver it.

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Call us tonight if possible. Orders given to-night will go out on the first delivery Saturday. Open till 9 o'clock to-night.

<b>EGGS</b> Strictly fresh, gathered by our own wagon. Special per dozen <b>24c</b>	<b>FLOUR</b> Competition, per sack ..... <b>85c</b> Pure Spring Wheat. Western Brand ..... <b>85c</b> Best Winter Wheat.	<b>PURE LARD</b> No. 50 cans ..... <b>\$5.50</b> No. 2 cans ..... <b>25c</b> No. 4 cans ..... <b>50c</b>	<b>SUGAR</b> Sugar is going to be much higher. Better lay in your supply. Best Cane ..... <b>\$1.65</b> Best Beet ..... <b>\$1.55</b>	<b>CALIFORNIA HAMS</b> Best and sweetest meat you ever bought, per pound ..... <b>13c</b> New York Skinned Shoulders, special, per pound ..... <b>15c</b>	<b>ORANGES</b> Bananas, per dozen ..... <b>15c</b> Lemons, per dozen ..... <b>20c</b> Oranges, per dozen ..... <b>20c</b> Grape Fruit 5 for ..... <b>25c</b>	<b>POTATOES</b> Per peck ..... <b>33c</b> One-half bushel ..... <b>65c</b> Bushel ..... <b>\$1.20</b> 2 1/2 bushel bag ..... <b>\$3.00</b>
<b>HAMS AND BACONS</b> Miles' Brand Breakfast Bacon, pound ..... <b>20c</b> California Hams, extra fine, per pound ..... <b>13c</b> Smoked Bacon, pound ..... <b>17c</b> Pickled Pork 2 lbs. for ..... <b>25c</b>	<b>MOLASSES</b> White Syrup, one-half gallon <b>20c</b> Red Syrup, one-half gallon ..... <b>20c</b> New Orleans, quart ..... <b>10c</b> Maple Syrup, quart ..... <b>23c</b>	<b>LUNCH SPECIALS</b> Sweet Pickles, 3 dozen ..... <b>25c</b> Jumbo Pickles, per dozen <b>15c</b> Baked Beans, 3 cans for ..... <b>25c</b> Mustard, quart jars ..... <b>10c</b> Olives, quart jars ..... <b>25c</b> Peanut Butter, two lbs. <b>25c</b> Peanut Butter, quart jars ..... <b>25c</b> Chow Chow, quart jars <b>10c</b> Pickled Onions, qt. jars <b>10c</b> Bullion Cubes, per dozen <b>25c</b>	<b>MANTLES AND GLOBES</b> Mantles, each ..... <b>5c</b> Globes, each ..... <b>5c</b>	<b>FINE CHEESE</b> N. Y. Cream Cheese, pound ..... <b>22c</b> Limburger, pound ..... <b>25c</b> Brick Cheese, pound ..... <b>25c</b>	<b>NEW CANNED GOODS</b> Apple Butter, per can ..... <b>9c</b> New Tomatoes, per can ..... <b>9c</b> New Peas, 3 cans ..... <b>25c</b> New Corn, 3 cans ..... <b>25c</b> New Corn, 2 cans ..... <b>15c</b> New Pie Peaches, 3 cans ..... <b>25c</b> New Table Peaches, 2 cans ..... <b>25c</b> New can Apricots, can ..... <b>25c</b> New can Hominy, 3 cans ..... <b>25c</b> New can Krut, 3 cans ..... <b>25c</b> New can Pumpkin, 3 cans ..... <b>25c</b> New can Green Beans, 3 cans <b>25c</b> New can Asparagus, per can <b>15c</b> New large can Asparagus, can <b>30c</b> New Pineapple, large cans ..... <b>20c</b> New Pineapple, cans ..... <b>15c</b> New Blackberries, 2 cans ..... <b>25c</b> New can Spaghetti, can ..... <b>10c</b> New can Spaghetti, large can <b>15c</b>	
<b>BAKING POWDER</b> Rumford's, pound .... <b>20c</b> Davis', pound ..... <b>19c</b> Royal, pound ..... <b>40c</b> Royal, 1-2 pound ..... <b>23c</b> Good Luck, 2 pounds .. <b>15c</b>	<b>SPECIALS</b> Brooms, extra good ..... <b>30c</b> Matches, 1500 Matches 3 boxes ..... <b>10c</b> Mops, regular 30c Mops <b>25c</b> Maple Syrup, quart. .... <b>25c</b> Spaghetti, 6 boxes ..... <b>25c</b> Macaroni 6 boxes ..... <b>25c</b> Catsup, gallon ..... <b>65c</b> American Beauty Catsup ..... <b>9c</b>	<b>HEBE MILK</b> If you have never used Hebe Milk you have missed using one of the best canned milks on the market—this milk can be used in coffee with the same result as pure, fresh cream, no after taste like is found in nearly all canned milk. Try 4 cans of the large or 8 cans of the small size for 30c this week and see for yourself the difference.	<b>New Goods</b> New Barley, two pounds ..... <b>15c</b> New Oat Meal, per pound <b>5c</b> New Rice, 3 pounds ..... <b>25c</b> New Rolled Oats, pound <b>5c</b> New Flaked Hominy, six pounds ..... <b>25c</b> New Grain Hominy, per quart ..... <b>7c</b> New Raisins, 3 boxes for ..... <b>25c</b> New Meal, 4 pounds ..... <b>10c</b>		<b>BEANS</b> Navy 3 pounds for ..... <b>25c</b> Narrowfat, 2 1-2 lbs. for <b>25c</b> Kidney Beans, 2 1-2 lbs. <b>25c</b> Lima Beans, 2 1-2 lbs. <b>25c</b> Cranberry Beans 3 lbs. <b>25c</b>	
<b>BREAKFAST FOODS</b> American Beauty Oats, pkg. <b>9c</b> Mother's Oats, per package <b>9c</b> Quaker Oats, per package <b>9c</b> Toy Oats, 3 packages ..... <b>25c</b> Loose Oats, per pound ..... <b>5c</b> Puffed Rice, per package <b>13c</b> Puffed Wheat, per package <b>13c</b> Puffed Corn, per package <b>13c</b> Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 3 for <b>25c</b> Post Toasties, 3 for ..... <b>25c</b> Washington Flakes, 3 for ..... <b>25c</b> Pettijohn's Wheat Flakes ..... <b>15c</b> Shredded Wheat 2 boxes ..... <b>25c</b> Grape Nuts 2 packages ..... <b>25c</b> Cream of Wheat, package <b>14c</b>	<b>CRACKERS-CAKES</b> Laurel Crackers, 3 pounds ..... <b>25c</b> Star Butter Crackers, 2 lbs. <b>15c</b> Oyster Crackers, 2 lbs. .... <b>15c</b> Ginger Snaps, 2 pounds ..... <b>15c</b> Macaroni Snaps, per pound. <b>15c</b> Chocolate Cakes, pound. .... <b>20c</b> Cocoanut Cakes, pound ..... <b>20c</b> Fraham Wafers, pound. .... <b>10c</b> Pretzels, pound ..... <b>15c</b>	<b>POSTUM</b> 25c package regular ..... <b>23c</b> 15c package regular ..... <b>13c</b> 30c can instant ..... <b>25c</b> 50c can instant ..... <b>45c</b>	<b>CRISCO</b> Fresh from factory Crisco \$1.50 cans ..... <b>\$1.40</b> \$1.00 cans ..... <b>90c</b> 50c cans ..... <b>45c</b> 25c cans ..... <b>23c</b> 15c cans ..... <b>13c</b>	<b>FISH</b> Smoked Herring 3 for ..... <b>10c</b> Mackerel, each ..... <b>10c</b> Cod Fish, 2 pounds ..... <b>25c</b> White Fish, bucket ..... <b>45c</b> Argo Salmon, 2 cans ..... <b>35c</b> Red Bird Salmon 2 cans ..... <b>25c</b> Sardines, mustard, 6 cans ..... <b>25c</b> Sardines, oil, 6 cans ..... <b>25c</b> Holland Herring 3 for ..... <b>10c</b> Tuna Fish, per can ..... <b>15c</b>	<b>DATES AND FIGS</b> Dromedary Dates 3 boxes ..... <b>25c</b> Figs, very fine, pound ..... <b>18c</b> Cooking Figs, pound ..... <b>10c</b>	<b>EGGS AND BUTTER</b> Eggs, per dozen ..... <b>24c</b> Country Butter ..... <b>35c</b> Creamery ..... <b>35c</b> Oleomargarine 2 pounds ..... <b>35c</b>
<b>GREEN GOODS</b> Celery, bunch ..... <b>10c</b> Cabbage, per head ..... <b>5c</b> Lettuce, per pound ..... <b>18c</b> Turnips, per peck ..... <b>25c</b> Sweet Potatoes, pound ..... <b>5c</b> Parsnips, peck ..... <b>35c</b>	<b>COFFEE</b> Golden Rod, per pound. .... <b>30c</b> Red Bird, per pound. .... <b>25c</b> Western Blend, per pound. <b>25c</b> Fresh Roasted Loose Coffee, 4 pounds for 50c and 2 pounds for ..... <b>35c</b>	<b>APPLES</b> Special, peck ..... <b>30c</b>	<b>FRANKFURTERS SAUSAGE</b> Just the thing for a change. These are different. Try them per pound only ..... <b>15c</b>			
<b>EVAPORATED PEACHES</b> These Peaches are just like fresh peaches when cooked, special price, 3 pounds for ..... <b>25c</b>	<b>CHICKEN FEED</b> Best on the market. 10 pounds <b>25c</b>					

## Dr. Conwell Pleases A Big Audience

Portsmouth High School's large auditorium was well filled Thursday evening when the seventh number on the High School Lecture course was given by Dr. Russell H. Conwell, noted lecturer. The number who heard Dr. Conwell this time was greater than last season. Dr. Conwell chose as his subject, "The Silver Crown."

The entire lecture was along the line of education. He took his theme from a story told him by a guide who was with him on one of his trips in the old country. The people of a certain land were left without a king and finally decided that the man to be their king would be one whom the animals follow, whom the sun serves; whom the waters obey; whom mankind loves. He applied each of these tests to modern times.

"A king is one who notices things that other people do and then applies these things for the betterment of the people." "Our great scientific men are misleading to the people in their calculations," said Conwell. "Observance" was a subject on which he dwelt for some time during his lecture. "America is ruled by the fewest people," said Conwell. "The people are so well educated that they use very little time in government affairs." "Education is the power behind the throne."

Dr. Conwell made a plea for public speakers. He said the greatest orator in the future would be a woman. In the end he said "The highest art of dress is a dress that attracts no especial attention to itself." The eighth number of the lecture course will be the Davenny Quintet on March 8th.

If you have a room which is not occupied you should be using TIMES WANT AD.

## D. OF A. BANQUET

Mrs. Mary E. Boyles, Mrs. Lorenna Woods, Mrs. Artie Gibson and Mrs. Emma Dugger form the committee in charge of the banquet that is to be enjoyed at the weekly meeting of the Daughters of America tonight. Everything has been arranged for a general good time. The banquet is given by the "Golds" who lost out in a "several weeks' membership contest when the "Silvers" came out the winners. Every member of the order is expected present. The evening will be given over to the banquet and entertainment.

Highest standard materials used by Brehmer, the Painter.

## Foremen To Meet

Ed Poffenberger, superintendent of the Selby cutting room, will deliver a talk on "Leather" at the regular monthly meeting of the Superintendents' and Foremen's Association of the Selby Shoe company this evening. Several ladies will also address the assemblage. The meeting will be held in the old Excelsior factory building on Gallia street.

## Plant Is Busy

"The Kentucky Firebrick company is busier right now than it has been for the past year. Our plant in Haldeman, Ky., is being operated 18 hours per day," L. P. Haldeman said Friday. "There is a great demand for fire brick just now and the capacity of our plant is being taxed by the many orders that have been rolling into our office for this kind of brick."

## M'DERMOTT SERVICE

Rev. Gordon will preach at Mr. Dermott next Sunday at 2:30 instead of the usual time due to the Edwards' meetings now in progress at Oldtown.

## Memphis Packet

According to information given out in Gallipolis Thursday, the steamer Queen City was purchased by Capt. Wm. E. Roe of Pittsburgh. The consideration being \$10,000 and other valuable considerations not made public. It is stated that the Queen City will be run from Pittsburgh to Memphis once a month. The Queen City had been owned by Hubbard & Company, of Pittsburgh.

## MUTT AND JEFF

## YES, THEY COME JUST AS NUTTY IN RUSSIA AS THEY DO IN AMERICA

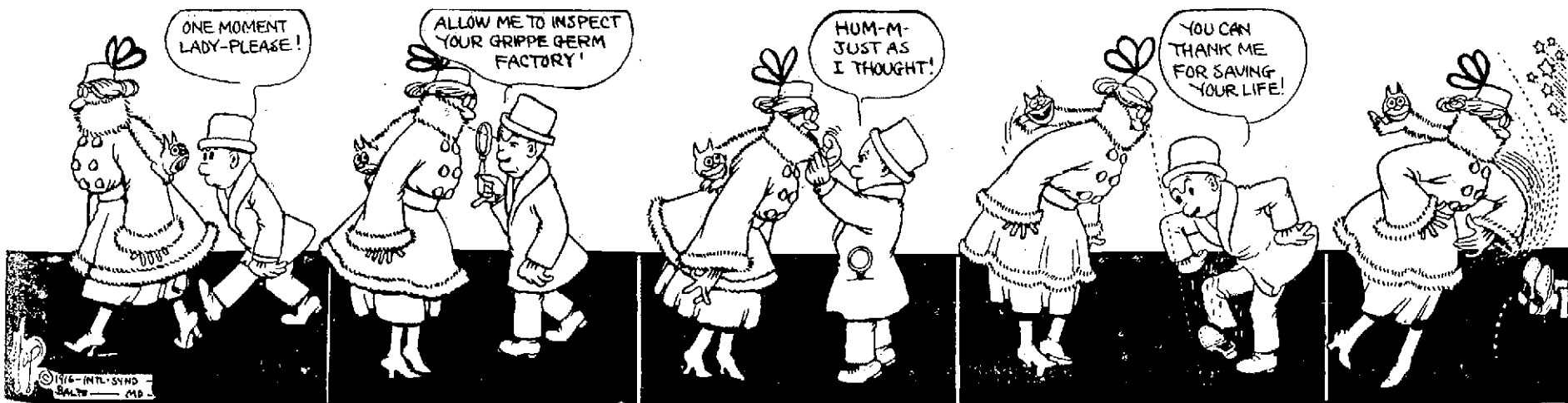
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## SCOOP THE CUB REPORTER

## Trailing The Grippe Germ To It's Lair

## By "HOP"





# KEEPING ABREAST WITH SPORTING TREND

## GIANTS DEFEAT SPIDERS AT PLAY HOUSE ALLEYS

Teams	P	W	L	Pct.
Giant Killers	3	2	1	.667
Cement Specialists	3	2	1	.667
Ironclads	3	2	1	.667
Spiders	3	1	2	.333
Bumblers	3	1	2	.333
Bald Eagles	3	1	2	.333

**GAMES TONIGHT.**  
Ivory Knobs vs. Clod Hoppers, alleys 8 and 9; Realls vs. Corn Shuckers, alleys 4 and 5.  
Aided and abetted by many strikes and spares, superintended by the roars of the onlookers, the Giant Killers, with their championship banner flapping in colors bright in their line of vision, copied two out of three from the Spiders at the Play House alleys Thursday evening, turning the trick artistically and airily, after having dropped the first game by a wide margin.

The Giants did not forget the lesson the Spiders handed them on the opening night of the first half and were out for revenge, which they got because they generally get what they go after. The Spiders, all buoyed up over the first game, imagined they had a cinch. This thought was soon sent into the discard, for the Giants, pulling together like one man simply wiped up the running board with their adversaries and marched home with colors flying.

Dr. F. C. Goodwin, noted extractor of molars and bleachers, was a regular tornado in the opening game, when as lead off man for the Spiders he raged up the huge total of 214, bringing fame to his door and putting him in excellent shape to enjoy the contest. He did nothing wonderful thereafter, but got much consolation out of the laurels he had won. Wade Kennedy was there with the bells on and did fully as well as his captain expected. He has the happy faculty of striking out and this made his scores of good proportion. He was quite well satisfied with his evening's entertainment. Dr. Mylender had a fairly good night, although he could have stood a few more flies. He hit 'em fairly well, but the pine did not always succumb. Dr. Talle, rolling as anchor man, got out of a sick bed to participate in the game and considering everything did amazingly well, although he is looked upon as one of the most consistent in the league.  
Dallas Lemon, lead off man for the Giants, was in good form and did his share toward bringing victory to his

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From the time the ripe Burley leaf reaches our factory, until it goes out to gladden your taste with its rich flavor in golden brown plugs of Old Kentucky, it is kept pure by the most modern methods ever applied to the making of chewing tobacco.

No factory could possibly be cleaner or more sanitary than the great, new factory in which "Old Kentucky" is made.

For a good chew—get a plug of Old Kentucky.

Try a 10c plug to-day.



## Tooth Loose? Watch out for Pyorrhea!

When you find a tooth that gives back and forth, even just a little, see your dentist at once.

He will find conditions which you might overlook. He will find a gum recession, even though slight, where the gums have pulled away from the teeth. And he will tell you that you have the dread disease pyorrhea.

But Sencoco does more. It cleanses the teeth delightfully. It gives them a whiteness distinctive of Sencoco alone. Its flavor is entirely pleasing, and it leaves in the mouth a wonderful sense of coolness and wholesomeness.

Start the Sencoco treatment before pyorrhea grips you for good. Details in folder with every tube. A two-ounce tube for 25c is sufficient for 6 weeks' daily treatment. Get Sencoco of your druggist (10c or 25c), or in stamps or coin for single tube and folder. Address: The Sencoco Remedy Company, 503 Union Central Building, Cincinnati, Ohio.

side. He encountered some rough breaks, but always came back with skill and determination. Frank J. Baker, the Sleepless Slocoman, was unable to crack that head pin with his usual deadly accuracy, but he kept plugging along and his faithfulness was finally rewarded with a respectable score. Edward Riskey was all right, but yet life. He had one of his best nights and was as chipper as a ground squirrel. Sir Edward Campbell, labeled "John Dunbar," for short, came through like a thoroughbred, striking out in his second game and finishing his work in applicable order. Chas. Daehler bunched into bushels of splits in his opening game, but finally luck veered the other way and he finished with a respectable average. Captain Sheridan held up his end, getting two 200 scores after a weird beginning. The Giants are off

now, for some battle and declare they will yet have the honor of meeting the Ivory Knobs in the world's series. The scores:

Giants—	146	150	159
Lemon	118	129	137
Baker	118	129	137
Riskey	118	129	137
Campbell	107	115	129
Daehler	101	111	139
Sheridan	112	200	201
Totals	818	924	921

Spiders—	211	116	121
Goodwin	125	125	125
Kennedy	125	110	119
Blind	125	125	125
Mylender	125	125	125
Talle	172	127	157
Totals	885	621	616

## CUBA WANTS OLYMPIC GAMES

Cuba is to make another bid for the Olympic Games. The offer to hold the 1916 meet having elicited no reply an invitation has been extended to Baron de Coubertin, president of the International Olympic Committee to visit Havana and inspect the facilities offered for the holding of an international meet in 1916. There is, of course, no possibility of the game being held in Berlin next July as scheduled immediately after the 1912 meet in Stockholm. Not even the members of the committee can forecast what may occur during the next two or three years.

At the present time European continental Olympic games have been postponed for the holding of more pressing matters than Olympic games to hold their attention.

President Gableman has received word from Governor Lemoyne Mills that he is going south February 18 with the pitchers of the Cleveland American League team. Mills says he has entirely recovered from the injury suffered in Lexington last year when he broke his right leg. If Cleveland doesn't find room for Mills he is anxious to return to Portsmouth.

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## Protests Up To President

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## LETTER FROM JOE BUSH

President Wm. Gableman is in receipt of a letter from Second Baseman Joe Bush, who is spending the winter at his home in Albany, N. Y. Joe is anxious for the bell to top and wants to return to Portsmouth. He says he is in fine condition, howling and skating putting him in the proverbial "pink of condition." Bush was regarded as one of the best infielders in the Ohio State league last year.

## NELSON WILL FIGHT WOLGAST

Appleton, Wis., Feb. 11.—Battle Nelson and Al Wolgast have been matched to meet here March 8 or 10, according to Matchmaker Kuma, who left for Chicago today to complete final arrangements.

## PRINCETON HAS ANNUAL REPORT

Princeton, N. J., Feb. 11.—The annual report of the Princeton Athletic Association made public today shows a profit for 1914-15 of \$15,100, a gain of \$5,500 over last year.

Football, baseball and hockey, were the only self supporting sports.

## BASKETBALL MONDAY

A fast game of basketball is expected Monday evening at 8:30 in the high school gym when the fast Spanish quintet play the Second Presbyterian five. This is the first time these two teams have met, and each has won its majority of games. The Spaniards will lineup as follows: Balzo, center; Statten and Egbert, forwards; Schultz, Matthews and Williams, guards. The Presbyterians will use the following players: Pandan, center; Warner and Francis forwards; Bower and Drew, guards. Admission ten cents.

## TWO PLAYERS WERE SOLD

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Manager Rowland of the American League Club today announced that Outfielder Jones and Pitcher Frank Davis had been sold to Columbus, Ohio, of the American Association.

## AIN'T IT SO

National League may raise player limit. But the players will make their own limit when they are not playing baseball.

## Braves Get Ed Konechny

Pittsburgh, Feb. 11.—President Edward W. Guinner, of the Pittsburgh Federal League club, announced today that he had completed a deal for the sale of First Baseman Edward Konechny and pitcher Frank Allen and Elmer Knetzer, to the Boston National League club.

## May Cut Out Short Fence

There is some lively controversy among the magistrates over the short fence at Philadelphia. Barney Dreyfuss, who is the busiest little bee in the bunch, insists on a rule in creating the home run distance of fences from 225 to 310 feet. This, of course, means a wild uproar at Philadelphia, where the bugs and the papers are united in upholding the short right-field distance that has donated so many victories to the Quakers in the past.

## Chance For Chief Bender

Vernon, Cal., Feb. 11.—Chief Bender, the former pitcher of the Philadelphia Athletics, will be a member of the Vernon Pacific Coast league team this season, if he accepts the offer made to him by President Eddie Slater of the local club.

## Why Women Fight Smoke

The biggest industry in the country is not steel, nor automobiles, nor moving pictures—it is housekeeping. More money is spent on housekeeping than on any two of the big industries of the United States.

The managers of this industry, the women, have in their power the means to make or break the most powerful combination. They spend the money. They plan where they shall spend it, and yet

with the millions of dollars going into homes, furnishings and decorations, very little united effort is made in the cities to prevent destruction of this great industry by smoke and dirt.

An average taken of damage done by smoke in Chicago, Cincinnati, Buffalo and Cleveland shows that the per capita cost is nearly \$12.00, or about \$60.00 per year per family. What family of your knowledge is able to spend near this amount for damage done by smoke and dirt? But somewhere and somehow this is spent, and inevitably comes out of the family income.

Women must fight the smoke nuisance. Women's clubs can exert a powerful influence upon the enforcement of the smoke ordinances. Their persistent efforts will result in clean air and a smokeless city. Universal suffrage is certainly coming, and politicians are more willing to listen to the suggestions of women's organizations that they ever have been. The cause is a worthy one, and the results will come.

Demands made for the rigid enforcement of smoke laws will not result in losses to the owners of factories, apartments, offices and other large buildings whose smoke-belching chimneys indicate lost profits. The enforcement of the law will mean the installation of furnaces and boilers so constructed that they will burn the cheap grades of coal WITHOUT SMOKE, thus forcing upon the owner a saving in his fuel bill by the difference in price between cheap soft coals and the so-called smokeless and higher-priced coals.

Twenty per cent of the smoke nuisance during winter is caused by heating boilers. This condition can be remedied. There are types of sectional heating boilers for large buildings which burn the cheap, highly volatile soft coals without a trace of smoke from the chimney.

This subject is not too technical for discussion in women's clubs and associations. It must be shown and must be explained in a popular way, and we trust the women will be responsible for creating public sentiment to an appreciation of these facts and to a final abolishment of smoke—the great destroyer of the greatest industry of this country—housekeeping!

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## Boy Scout News

Boy Scout League Standing

Teams	W.	L.	Pct.
Tigers	6	3	.667
East End	5	4	.556
Covenanters	5	4	.556
Eagles	2	7	.222

Thursday night's scores:  
Tigers, 16; Eagles, 12.

Covenanters, 11; East End, 9.

Thursday night was "Basketball Night" with the Boy Scouts and four fast games were pulled off, two in the Boy Scout League, and two in the Junior League. A record crowd was out, and there was lots of good hearty rooting. The race in the Boy Scout League is still close in spite of the fact that the Tigers showed into first place alone Thursday night. The East Enders dropped to second place by letting the Covenanters defeat them. This places them in a tie now with the Covenanters for second place.

### Tigers Now Lead

The Tigers are now leading the Boy Scout League as the result of their hard fought game with the Eagles last night. The game was a beauty and in the last half the Eagles got a good lead, due to the fast work of Blake, who near the close of the game had a fall, which weakened him and allowed the Tigers to cup the game, 16 to 12. Edwards' work was the outstanding feature of the game from the Tiger side. The score:

Tigers	Pos.	Eagles
Wilson	C.	Walker
Edwards	RF.	Engelbrecht
Virgin	LF.	Baker
W. Hopkin	RG.	Blake
R. Hopkin	LG.	Hopper
Field goals—Wilson, 1; Edwards, 6; Virgin, 1; Blake, 4.		
Foul goals, Blake, 4.		
Referee—Wagner.		

### Covenanters In Second Place

By defeating the East Enders Thursday night, the Covenanters climbed into second place in a tie with the East End lads. The game was close at every stage, with first one team and then the other shooting ahead. The East End boys fought gamely and did not acknowledge defeat until the referee's whistle closed the game. There were two features which are worthy of mention in this fast game, the work of Bryant, at guard for the Covenanters, and Dunn at right forward for the East Enders. The score:

Covenanters	Pos.	East End
Eppenstein	C.	Williams
George	RF.	H. Doll
L. Davis	LF.	Dunn
Bryant	RG.	Hamilton
Smith	LG.	F. Davis
Field goals—Williams, 2; Dunn, 1; Eppenstein, 1; L. Davis, 1; George, 1; Smith, 1.		
Foul goals—Dunn, 3; L. Davis, 1; George, 1; Smith, 1.		
Referee—Wagner.		

### Junior League Standing

Teams	W.	L.	Pct.
Submarines	3	0	1.000
West End	2	1	.667
Blues	1	2	.333
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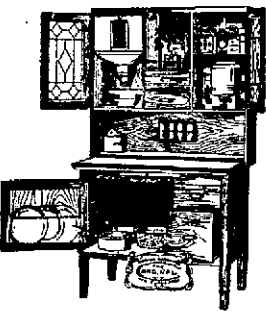
Thursday night's scores:  
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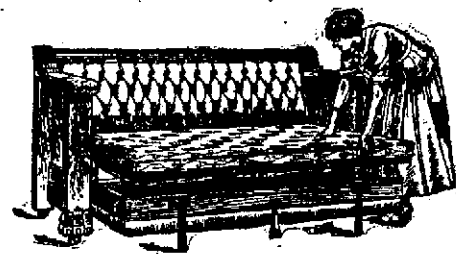
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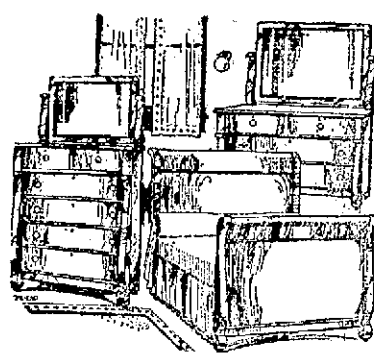
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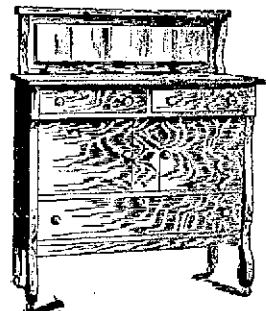


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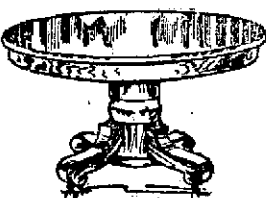


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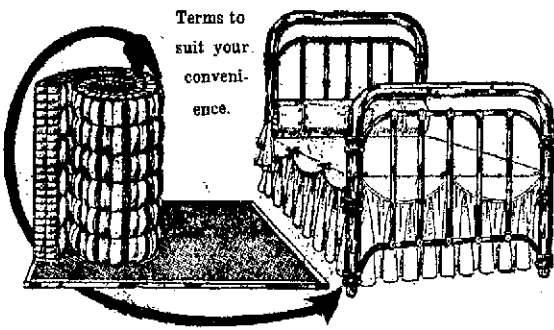
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## War Held At Arms Length By U. S. But He Will Keep It Away If Possible Says Wilson

Washington, Feb. 11.—Delegates to the annual convention of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States left for their homes today, carrying with them a message from President Wilson, the outstanding feature of which was his determination to keep the United States out of the European conflict, although he declared that the nation merely held that trouble at arm's length. The president addressed the annual banquet of the chamber, which was a concluding feature of a three days' convention. He also spoke of the need of a real scientific tariff board and a Merchant Marine. "It is a cruel thing," said the president, "to have it supposed, as it is, in many quarters, that we have kept out of this war simply because we wanted to keep out of trouble, and simply because we wanted to profit by the trouble of others, and yet misunderstandings for the time being are not to be reckoned against the consciousness that we have pursued the right and only

serviceable course. I am not afraid of the slow verdict of history with regard to the neutrality of the United States, and I believe that we are justified in exercising every degree of patience in making it clear what our position is.

"I have only this to say, though. We hold this trouble at arm's length and keep, or attempt to keep, our judgments cool, but the rest of the world is hot and it may be that any time, without our co-operation and without our ability to stop it, the flame may extend to us. And therefore, I am glad that the United States has been put in a position to mobilize its financial resources and to get into the position which it must at last get into, whether it wants to or not.

"If only we can keep this great nation at peace—there is an infinite prospect of happy prosperity before the United States; I believe that she will serve the rest of the world in handsome and gallant fashion, not taking advantage of their necessities, but only taking advantage of the legitimate opportunities which the circumstances have created."

The president spoke of the federal reserve law saying:

"When you reflect what might have happened if our banking system had at the outset of this war been the clumsy and antiquated thing that it was three years ago you will realize that only might we not have escaped disaster, but that disaster might have been so prolonged that it would have been impossible for the United States to occupy the position she now occupies."

The president told of the necessity tariff board and said he thought the nation would get it. "I want to say," he continued, "that before the whole face of affairs was changed in the econ-

omy of the world by the war, I was not in favor of a tariff board, because the purpose of it then apparently was to keep alive an unprofitable controversy. I am not interested in the doctrines of protection; I am not interested in the doctrines of free trade. I have been a college professor and know why I am not, because there is nothing in either doctrine. The only thing that is interesting is the facts of commerce and industry and the only thing that it is right to deduce from the facts is something that has nothing properly to do with party politics at all."

The president expressed the confident hope that legislation creating a merchant marine would be passed by congress as soon as possible and added: "At any rate, while all the rest of the world is at war we cannot deliver our goods in other people's ships and we have hopefully expected that ships would be built by Americans, but there have been no violent symptoms of that prospect being realized, and it is absolutely necessary that we should make a beginning

in some way. I think the necessity for this has been more and more perceived in the last eighteen months.

"A year ago when the original shipping bill was introduced I was told that a revolution of some sort was being proposed. I am not afraid of any kind of a revolution that is useful. I do not care by what honest process the goods are delivered, but they have got to be delivered. We cannot hold our whole economic life up stagnant because we are afraid to try experiments. I am not afraid of an experiment provided you put the trying of it into competent hands, the hands of men who understand business and who are truly devoted to the interests of the country."

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made a good lead due to the fast work of Deyer. Kenyon played a swell game for the "Reds". The score:  
Submarines Pos. Reds  
Reeg ..... C. .... Rensinger  
Backus ..... RF. .... Pace  
Deyer ..... LF. .... Kenyon  
Finger ..... RG. .... Hewitt  
Marsh-Barber LG. .... Humber  
Field goals—Reeg, 2; Backus, 1; Deyer, 3; Barber, 1; Rensinger, 2; Kenyon, 5.  
Foul goals—Reeg, 3; Deyer, 1; Finger, 1; Rensinger, 1; Kenyon, 1.  
Referee—Wagner.

West Enders Victors  
"Splinters" Edwards' fast West Enders defeated the Blues last night in a close game 6 to 3. The one big feature of the game was the swell playing of Ribble in the last half. The West Enders looked classy and they will reckon with the Submarines in the next game. The score:  
West End Pos. Blues  
Edwards ..... C. .... Eisenangle  
Wolf ..... RF. .... Mitchell  
Hughlett ..... LF. .... R. Liming  
N. Davis ..... RG. .... Crawford  
P. Liming ..... LG. .... Monk  
Ribble  
Field goals—Hughlett, 1; Ribble, 2; R. Liming.  
Foul goals—Mitchell.  
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Dear Dolly—I am going to ask you a question. Is there any way that I can find out the names and addresses of all the automobile owners in Portsmouth? If there is, I wish you would kindly tell me. Thanking you in advance.

W. L. R.

You could find out by going to the county clerk's office in the court house and looking over the license register.

Dear Miss Wise.—What kind of pictures are hung in a dining room? Should the draperies match the carpet or the wall paper?

YOUNG MATRON.

As a general thing, the dining room should not contain pictures, although occasionally, even in the most exquisitely furnished houses, you will find a good coloring or water color. The draperies should be a color that will harmonize with both the paper and carpet. When the same color is not carried out in the wall and floor coverings, interior decorators use as window hangings what they call a "binding" color, a tone which will bring together without clashing, two colors which might not otherwise be altogether harmonious or well-balanced.

Dear Miss Wise.—Please name several acid foods, also several starch foods.

HOUSEWIFE.

Fruits, green vegetables, and vinegar, are acid foods. Potatoes, bread and cream soups are starch foods.

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The Home League Club held a most enjoyable meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Baker, on Seventeenth street. The rooms were beautifully decorated, the ping color scheme being carried out in the down-stairs rooms, and scarlet in the up-stairs rooms. A profusion of hearts adorned the rooms, in keeping with the valentine season. There were present twenty-three members and nine guests. The program was carried out as recently given in The Times. The time for the Current Events was taken up by Mrs. Cartwright, of Delaware, who gave a talk on Social Purity. The refreshments of ice cream, cake and mints were in heart-shapes. Miss Lydia Appel was welcomed back to the club after a several months' illness, and her piano music was much enjoyed. The favors were dainty heart-shaped valentines. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Winter, on Eighth street. The guests were as follows: Mrs. Edward Mahle, of Ironton; Mrs. Homer W. Fry, Mrs. James Kennedy, Mrs. H. T. Reinicker, Mrs. Albert Pressler, Miss Gertrude Elliott and Miss Lydia Appel and Mrs. Cartwright.

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Mr. and Mrs. Felix Haas will have as week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Stern, Mrs. A. Salinger and Miss Josephine Salinger, of Cincinnati, and Mr. Joseph S. Stern, fiancé of Miss Miriam Haas, and Mrs. Emil Longini, of Cincinnati, aunt of Miss Haas. The pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. Haas will be the scene of an elegant family dinner, followed by an informal reception.

Fresh Strawberries—Sundae 10c, Soda 10c, Shortcake 15c. Win Nye, Fourth and Chillicothe.  
7-30 3 n e

Five young High school girls will meet this evening at the home of Miss Ida Faivre, on Third street, to form a rock club. In the club will be Misses Ida Faivre, Eleanor Egbert, Mabel Shaw, Grace Rice and Nora Wilson.

Mrs. Fred Baker entertained Mrs. Edward Mahle, of Ironton, at supper last evening and in the evening she had as guests Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pressler, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Fry and Mrs. Charles Zull, who spent a delightful evening playing games.

The Board of Managers of the Home for Aged Women will meet Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Home.

While on his way to his home in Chicago after a business trip to Washington, Thornton Pratt stopped over Friday to visit his mother.

Mrs. D. P. Pratt, who makes her home with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Bages, of Grant street.

The Holmes Club will meet next Friday evening at the home of Mrs. George Webb.

## Today Is THOS. A. EDISON'S 69th Birthday



Today, as an honor to the great inventor,  
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## BACK FROM BANQUET

Karl Zoellner has returned from Pittsburgh, where he was a guest at a magnificent banquet the Pittsburgh Lodge B. P. O. Elks tendered (Grand Exalted Ruler James R. Nicholson and other members of his official family. The banquet was held in the Ft. Pitt Hotel and covers were laid for 700 guests.

While at the banquet Mr. Zoellner met C. P. Sullivan, who supervised the remodeling of the postoffice building here. He found Mr. Sullivan looking well and prosperous and he asked to be remembered to his friends here. Mr. Sullivan is supervising the erection of a new postoffice building in Carnegie, Pa.

While in the Smoky City Mr. Zoellner also had the pleasure of meeting Edwin G. Williams, telegraph editor of the Pittsburgh Post, and who formerly held a similar position on The Times. Mr. Williams was delighted to meet Mr. Zoellner, as he has a warm spot in his heart for Portsmouth. He is getting along splendidly in Pittsburgh.

### Three Candidates

At the meeting Thursday night of Massie Lodge, Knights of Pythias, No. 115, the Esquire Room was conferred on three candidates, F. K. Copan, John W. Manna and Dan Fisher.

### New Residents

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Francis, of Cleveland, have moved to Portsmouth. Mr. Francis has entered the employ of the Whitaker-Glessner Company.

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## Union Leader Is Suddenly Stricken

Martin J. McMahon, who came to Portsmouth to address the Machinist Union at their meeting Wednesday night was stricken with appendicitis Thursday and was removed to the Hempstead Hospital, where he will submit to an operation.

Mr. McMahon's family arrived here from Cincinnati Friday and will remain with him until he is declared out of danger. He had not been feeling well for a week and when he called a physician Thursday he was found to be suffering with appendicitis and was removed to the hospital.

### Go To Housekeeping

Walter Shively and bride, who since their marriage have been living at the home of his father-in-law, Peter Schuler, have gone to housekeeping on Front street, near Scioto.

Sober and competent workmen with Brehmer, the Painter. 1-17

## SUPT. CAREY COMING BACK NEXT WEEK

J. T. Carey, superintendent of the Scioto division of the N. & W., who for the past month has been temporarily in charge of the Eastern division, who has been in Rome, expects to return here some time next week and again take up his work as superintendent of the local division, which will be good news to his many friends here. V. A. Riten, superintendent of the Eastern division, who has been recuperating in Florida, writes that he is much improved in health and that he expects to return to his work the first of next week.

### LEG WAS AMPUTATED

Barry Young, an aged pensioner and former resident of Madison street, who for the past nine months has been at the Sandusky Soldiers' home, arrived here Thursday for a visit. He is minus a leg, having had to undergo amputation because of an affliction.

## ATTENTION CO. K

All members of Company K are urged to take notice. Company K will be inspected today by Philip Remington, first lieutenant, U. S. inspecting officer, who will begin his work at one o'clock today and will complete the inspection tonight. All members and officers of the company will receive their regular state pay.

## FINISHING VIADUCT

Having completed their portion of work on the new Lawson Run viaduct, The L. E. Sturm Company Friday shipped their equipment to Columbus, it being loaded on four special cars. Several sub-contractors still have considerable work to do on the viaduct, which will hardly be completed before April 15. David A. Breinig, superintendent of the work will remain until the viaduct is ready to be turned over to the city and the N. & W.

## ANOTHER BOAT BOUGHT

Capt. Harry Donnelly returned last night from a business trip to Wheeling and Pittsburgh, and upon his arrival here he announced that he and Capt. Fred Herbrook had purchased the steamer Reuben Dunbar and that the boat would be entered in the Pittsburgh-Charleston trade on Friday, February 18. The Reuben Dunbar is a modern boat and the local citizens had been negotiating for its purchase since their steamer, the Lorena, was recently destroyed by fire.

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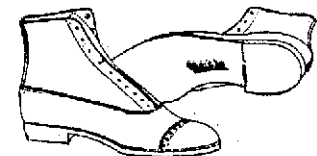
Our shoe sale, so far, has been most successful. We have disposed of a great number of odd shoes, still, we have a few pair left. The styles are all good being made up of English lasts in both Black and Tan. A few wide toes in Tan. The lots left are as follows:



Nettleton, English Last, \$6.50 value, just 4 pairs left, A and B widths, Gun Metal, sizes 5 1/2 B, 8 A, 10 B, 10 A.

These go at, per pair.....**\$4.25**

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This lot composed of Black and Tan Shoes, \$5.50 values, mostly English Lasts, 22 pairs, Black, sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2, narrow widths and 69 pairs, sizes 5 1/2 to 9, special.....**\$3.69**



This lot composed of Black and Tan Shoes, English and Hi Toe Lasts, values \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, 44 pairs Black, sizes 5 1/2 to 7, 52 pairs Tan, sizes 5 to 7 and 9 to 10 1/2. Middle sizes are gone. Special.....**\$2.79**



This lot of shoes are all small sizes and narrow widths, sizes 5 to 6 1/2 only, 30 pairs left, values \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00. Special.....**\$1.98**

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## SAYS THIRTY ENLISTED UNDER BRITISH COLORS

"One naturally hears much about the war in my part of the country," said E. M. Stone, of Canada, and who is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Stone, of Lucasville.

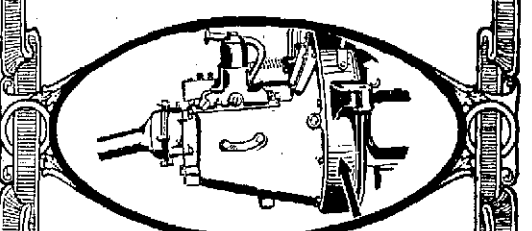
"There have been 30 or more enlistments under the British colors in Creelman, which only has a population of about 300. The feeling there is all one way," Mr. Stone said Thursday while in Portsmouth. Mr. Stone stated that Creelman was experiencing one of its severest winters, the mercury recently registering 40 below zero. It is a nice dry cold and we don't mind it so much," Mr. Stone said, Thursday. "Creelman is located in a strictly agricultural center. Wheat, oats, barley and flax are raised in great quantities in the vicinity of Creelman. Raising cars are also raised in the summer, but no other kind of corn is, because it will not mature in our climate. The farmers have had a good year and Creelman has been enjoying a boom all its own."

the vicinity of Lucasville and received his education in the Lucasville schools. On his way back to Creelman he will be joined in Iowa by his wife.

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## WE NEED THEIR HELP

There are several granges in the county. Their general purpose is to promote better conditions and relations among farmers. The better farmer one becomes, the more convincingly he shows others how to farm to the highest production at the least percentage cost, the more certainly are the objects of the grange exemplified. Such being the case, The Times believes every county grange ought to be especially interested in the corn growing contest it is arranging for 1916. Their interest should go to the extent of having at least one member—more would be better—from the grange become a contestant for the big prize of fifty dollars in gold. It would really add much zest to the contest if each grange was interested along with a number not members because that would make the rivalry all the keener. Some farmers don't seem to have much use for granges, we don't know why because organization and common exchange of ideas is ever pleasant and helpful. But it is not called to discuss that phase here. The simple proposition is The Times has on hand an offer that means considerable to the successful individual and limitless good to the entire agricultural interests. It feels it has a right to call on organizations that are supposedly working to the same end to join with it and bring contestants in such numbers as to make the affair portentous in size. Granges should get to work right now to see they have a respectable representation.

In a moment of mental aberration the other day we made the remark about the probable candidacy of Hon. William A. Inman for the Democratic nomination for congress, that there would be no other candidates from this county and that Mr. Inman would have that much better start than he had two years ago. But it seems we spoke too soon. It is now stated by former State Senator J. I. Hudson, who was a candidate for the nomination two years ago, that he is going to try it again in the nomination stakes. It is also said that still another prominent Democrat of this county is giving the matter consideration and may decide to take a flyer at the nomination. Which leads us to remark that hereafter we will assume nothing to be true in political entries until the gates are locked.

Now that Adams has one candidate, Scioto two and a third in process of incubation, we suppose that the rest of the district will be in on the grand rush and that each county will go to the wire with one or more entries. Which is politics, and in keeping with what we said a few weeks ago when we conducted one congressional boom to the burying ground and sat up with it until it was safely and securely laid away. And by the way, we are more than ever lost in admiration of the wisdom that prompted the funeral.

Now that the automobile season is approaching, we mildly suggest to the city administration that our traffic rules be gotten out, dusted up and put into full force and effect. By the time good weather arrives every one should be so familiar with the rules that there will be no excuse for disobeying them. There are entirely too many machines in Portsmouth to allow streets to be used recklessly or in a haphazard manner. Enforce the law and make the man who disobeys. And when he is soaked, make him stay soaked. The man who has to really pay \$25 or \$50 for recklessness will be mighty careful it does not happen again.

Bishop Boyd Vincent, of the Episcopal church, has announced that he will undertake this year the building up of a fund to pension ministers of the church when ill health or age incapacitates them. It is a great work the Bishop has set out to do. We do not know of any set of men who are harder workers, and who get less pay for it, than ministers of the gospel. And how much more good a rich man could do with his money by devoting it to such a purpose rather than to building costly public buildings, homes for cats and dogs, or the uplift of heathen who refuse to be uplifted.

The man who says he was never scared in all his life ought to begin right now to be afraid of what eternity holds for those who do not tell the truth.—Washington Star.

## MUTUAL AID



## A POWER UNKNOWN

Prescott, in his history of Peru, giving an account of the high development of art and sciences among the peoples found therein at the time of the appearance of the Spaniards, declares they had a means of transmission by which information was carried over mountain and across streams with astonishing rapidity. How this was done was not clear and the historian himself offers no decisive explanation.

Sometimes we think the Peruvians had a sublimated, if we may use such a term—had a sublimated means of communication that is inherent in the human race though dormant and quite unrecognized, a sort of mental wireless, as it were. It may be those strange and unhappy Red Men had the power in fuller development than have we Whites, with all our boasted achievements, but something of the sort seems to operate even in these days and each one of us has experienced something of it, though, perhaps, altogether unrealizingly. For instance, thousands, yes, millions, will recall a story that ran over the country one day, that President Cleveland was assassinated. It is true the story was untrue and no peril for the day even threatened the then president, in truth, it was altogether a commonplace twenty-four hours for him, but the fact remains that rumor of his death ran to every nook and corner of the land, from northernmost Maine to southernmost California, from Seattle to Tampa, and the places between. None could tell how and whence the rumor came, it was never known where it started and who first "thought" it, but it disturbed a whole nation. Coming down to more recent time there was illustration of this curious phase, only Tuesday last. On that date the whisper went up and down the state, over and across it, that Governor Willis would startle parties soon by "firing" an appointee close to him. Every politician—even the ones here in Scioto county could have told the victim was Forest Tipton, private secretary to the Governor. The tale worked itself back to Columbus in the shape of a flutter of telegrams to our good young Governor, the inquirers wanting to know if Tipton was to be let out, and they wanted his job, though there he no gainsaying the fact that Forest is the cleverest and most capable fellow the glory of Ada has drawn about Willis since he migrated to Columbus for a brief stay. Our good young Governor denies the story, he denounces it in concept and in toto and consigns to everlasting perdition its author, but every politician, who has been as near to Columbus as two hundred and fifty miles, within the past six months, crosses his heart and says he never knew it until some one else whispered it in his ear.

Our admiration for civil service as it is administered in Portsmouth was increased to adoration by the decision of the civil service commission in the Henderson case. If there had been any real evidence against Henderson we are quite sure that the commission would have had him sent to the penitentiary for life.

We rise to glory over the power of Times editorials. We praised the contractor in charge of the opera-house improvement for keeping the sidewalk in front of the work cleared so that it could be used by pedestrians and straightway he closed up the walk, barred it and roped it, so that no one could use it. And the worst of it is that there seems no good reason why the public should not be using the sidewalk. It seems the contractor cannot stand a little praise for doing the right thing.

Mr. Jim Crain stopped us on the street Thursday to enter a protest against the plan of the lawyers to have the county spend a few thousand dollars to build an extension onto the court house. "They just want to build a room so that they won't have to hurt their backs lifting down books in the recorder's office. Now my back gets tired carrying bills and the man who shovels coal, his back gets tired too, but we don't ask the taxpayers to help us out do we?" Which is one way of looking at things such as proposed.

Peter Skriber shot down a woman, then he shot down and killed a policeman who attempted to arrest him. There was no sentimentalism about his crime. He tried to commit one murder and he did murder the agent of the law who tried to stay his arm. For the life of us we fail to see why people should bombard the governor to save this man from paying the penalty of his crimes, nor again why the governor should have listened to the pleas.

One of the saddest features in connection with the demolition of our justly esteemed Blue Sky law by the courts is that along with the law will go some thirty or forty highly ornamental and exceedingly lucrative jobs for the honest and patriotic party worker.

Another censorship has gone into effect. Our young niece has served notice on us that she proposes to shut us out from the sunlight of her acquaintance if we do not quit putting pieces in the paper about her.

Another idea of a pretty decent thing is to have a job like Theodore P. Shouts, president of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company of New York, and draw \$100,000 a year salary, with bonuses of \$150,000 and "Christmas presents" of \$300,000.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

It is said that 55 per cent of the Ford's are owned and operated in the country and, as we dodge nervously about our great centers of population, we wonder how many per cent there are in all.—Ohio State Journal.

## Carload of Horses

Dr. Jos. Lake, veterinary surgeon, received a car load of fine draft horses from Logan and Champaign counties Thursday that he expects to dispose of here.

## Will Go On Trip

Capt. James W. Smith will leave Monday on a trip through the Southern states for the lumber firm he represents. He expects to be gone about ten days.

## NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

O-O-MENTYRE.

New York, Feb. 11—Terrence Ramsay, editor of a movie magazine, consulted his physicians the other day concerning a liver that was jaded. He was thumped, pounded and mangled, and after the examination the doctor said: "Eat more green stuff from the garden."

The next night Ramsay was found atop a Broadway roof garden consuming little glasses of absinthe. After several he said he felt much better, in fact he was beginning to feel like a ride in a low-necked hack.

Another story rampant on Broadway concerns the telegram that Frank Ward O'Malley sent to Don Marquis from the fourth floor of the Sun building to the third. The telegram read:

"Tissen kid: If Charlotte quit the Hippodrome ballet and signed up with the Russian ballet at the Century, would that make her a Charlotte Russe?"

Charlotte, by the way, put a punch in the skating craze in town.

The clerk at the Waldorf was giving his nails a few extra little polishes, when before him appeared a gentleman—with a slight assistance of a porter—who was listing. However his condition did not warrant any inhospitality, so the clerk said: "Have you any baggage?"

"Tag-sh? Shurtenly," he replied, drawing himself up with much dignity. He went through all of his pockets and at last produced a check on the Hotel Meaplin down the street.

"Go get 't," he said to the porter, and in the meantime he was ushered to his room. He was tucked in bed and soon was away from all of the cares of this world in general, and the next morning in particular when the porter came staggering down the hall with his baggage. It was a bamboo walking stick weighing all of one pound.

Dancing may or may not be on the wane. Some say it is, others deny it. But the fact remains that every time a new dancing place is opened

it becomes packed nightly. Shanley's is the only cafe in town of importance where dancing is not indulged. But they have cabaret howlers and other noise-making devices for the uplift of the patrons.

The Claridge has thrown open its grill to afternoon and evening dancing and so has the Majestic and the new Pennsylvania Hotel on Thirty-fourth street, which is to cost one million exquisite dollars, is to have four different dancing places.

Eating and drinking are incidental details in most cafes. New York has never been so prosperous, and that may be the reason for the continued interest in this dancing frivolity. Head waiters who were meek, and vacillating a year ago, now have all the arrogance of a theatre box office.

Art Note: For a month three Cezanne winter colors hung upside down in a Fifth Avenue gallery and nobody knew the difference.

There is great desolation at the Playboys. Will Irwin has deserted the Bachelors' Corner and with his wife, who was Inez Haynes Gillmore, will leave for the European war zone. Both will act as war correspondents, and despite the little inconvenience of doing the trenches, expect to have a happy honeymoon.

Irwin is always referred to as a westerner, when as a matter of fact he was born near New York and when a boy moved to the Pacific coast. His father was afraid that he would get a job on a New York newspaper so he took him away from the pitfalls of Park Row.

He has been to the front three times since the row began. Other war correspondents in America on a furlough who will return at the same time Irwin sails are Herbert Corey, Phil Simms and Charles Williams. Most of them would just as soon stay on this side of the pond.

## Plate Glass Prices Soar

Local dealers reported Thursday that the price in plate-glass had advanced 50 per cent in the past sixty days. All other kinds of glass, too, is looking up, they say.

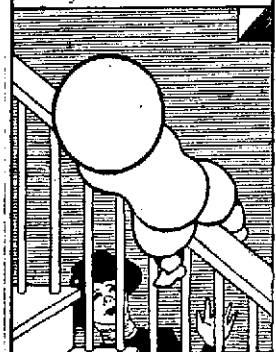
## Move Here

William Mullins and wife and brother-in-law, Harvey Booth, of Pine Bluff, Ky., moved to a home on Fourth street, this city, Thursday. Mullins formerly drove a United States mail wagon for the Interstate Transfer company here. He served several years in the United States army, spending 22 months of that time in Alaska.

Phone Jansen your grocery order tonight. Open till 9 o'clock.

## GOOPS

By GELETT BURGESS



Emil Schrader

You know what fun it is to slide  
Down banisters—  
you've often tried;  
But when you heard  
your mother say  
You mustn't come  
down stairs that way,  
Of course you  
willingly obeyed her;  
You weren't a Goop  
like Emil Schrader.

Don't Be A Goop!



Got It!!

First it's a tickle,  
And then it's a sneeze;  
Then it's a strangle,  
And then it's a wheeze.  
Your throat is as raw  
As an underdone ham;  
You think you will die,  
And you don't care a—haug!  
There's a noise in your head  
Like Niagara's roar,  
From the throbs and the rush  
Of your germ-laden gore;  
You shake and you shiver,  
Then parboil and grill;  
One minute a fever  
The next one a chill.  
You breathe through your ears,  
A'd you talk through your nose  
And ache like the devil  
From head to your toes.  
The world's upside down,  
And don't care a rip,  
For it's caught you, By Jing!  
Just the same darned old  
GRIPPE!

—Grand Rapids News.

But Why Didn't Josephine Entertain Him—or Them?

Miss Bertha Stuchowiak entertained delightfully a stag party Tuesday evening for Miss Josephine Prawat. — South Bend News-Times.

Somebody's Going to Stand Up, All Right

Mrs. William L. Colt will have a table for five, at which will be among others Mrs. W. H. Clagett, Jr., Mrs. Emanuel Einstein, Miss Helen Todd, Mrs. Lewis L. Delafield, Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blach and Dr. Alan McCurdy.—New York Times.

## Breaking Into Print

At last his name  
In print appears!  
He cut his corns  
With rusty shears.  
—Youngstown Telegram.

I saw his name  
In type quite bold;  
He took quack dope  
To cure a cold.  
—Sharon Herald.

At last his name  
In print is seen;  
He lit the fire  
With gasoline.  
—Warren Tribune.

Alas his name  
We'll see no more.  
For he has crossed  
The Golden Shore.

No, Sir; It Wasn't Frozen  
Dick Mayfield, who is rigging up on the Saddle farm for Michael Naughton, had a peculiar experience Tuesday night. The gas quit coming and they immediately started to thaw the line, having built fires and worked all night, and getting down to the main line only to find out that some ornery cuss had come along and shut the gas off. They had been working all night thawing out an empty line.—Pensboro News.

## New Poem On Ireland

(Note—An editorial writer on a German newspaper in New York has composed the following poem on Ireland):

"Here's to sweet Ireland, the land of my birth, the land of the sham-rock, the best land on earth; the Irish were Irish when England wasn't much, and they'll still be Irish when England turns Dutch. The downfall of England, as all men can see, is coming so swiftly, well all soon be free; for England next summer will walk with a crutch, surrounded by Germans and all speaking Dutch."

## Speaking of Shears

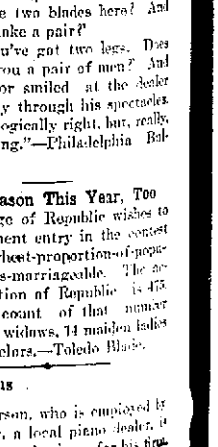
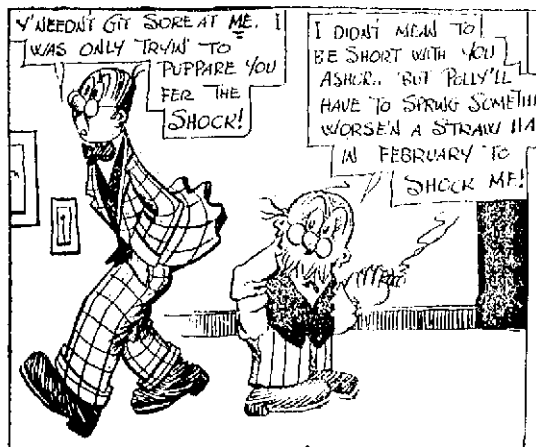
Prof. Thomas L. Lounsbury said at Cambridge in a talk on English: "But precision can be carried too far. The ultra-precise, even when logically right, are really wrong." "An ultra-precise professor went into a hardware shop and said: "Show me a shears, please." "You mean a pair of shears, don't you?" said the dealer. "No," said the professor. "I mean what I say. I mean a shears." "The dealer took down a box of shears. "Look here, professor," he said, "aren't there two blades here? And don't two make a pair?" "Well, you've got two legs. Don't that make you a pair of men?" The professor smiled at the dealer triumphantly through his spectacles. "He was logically right, but, really, he was wrong."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Open Season This Year, Too  
The Village of Republic wishes to be a prominent entry in the contest of the highest proportion of population that is marriageable. The actual population of Republic is 45. By careful count of that number there are 47 widows, 14 maiden ladies and 10 bachelors.—Toledo Blade.

## In Columbus

W. G. Carson, who is employed by R. P. Siller, a local piano dealer, is in Columbus on business for his firm.

## POLLY AND HER PALS



## IT'S THE LAST STRAW FOR PA--THIS COMBINATION

# WAR SECRETARY QUILTS CABINET

## GARRISON AND ASSISTANT TENDER RESIGNATIONS

### Continental Army Plan And Filipino Question Cause Of Differences With President

### NO SUCCESSOR HAS BEEN APPOINTED

Washington, Feb. 11—Secretary Garrison has resigned from the cabinet because President Wilson declined to insist without compromise upon the adoption of the continental army plan by congress. The resignation was tendered and accepted yesterday, and with Mr. Garrison, the assistant secretary of war, Henry C. Breckinridge, also left the service of the government.

Today the president finds himself personally in charge of the administration's plans for strengthening the army and working out a definite military policy. He has not selected a successor to Mr. Garrison, and it is regarded as probable that even if the head of the war department is named, the president who had made a careful study of the problem, will continue to handle the preparedness plans to a great extent himself.

Secretary Garrison's resignation took official Washington by complete surprise. Even members of the president's official family were unaware of the secretary's contemplated action, although one of them said, however, that he knew that Mr. Wilson and Mr. Garrison differed over the handling of the army plan.

The first intimation that anything unusual had happened came when Secretary Garrison let it be known late yesterday that he was leaving the city "for an indefinite stay," and would not make the promised speech before the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States in defense of his continental army plan. The secretary left for New York, accompanied by Mrs. Garrison without making any personal explanation.

The reasons for Secretary Garrison's resignation and its acceptance by the president are disclosed in lengthy correspondence made public between them. The correspondence revealed that while the secretary left the cabinet principally because the president would not "irrevocably" support the continental army plan, his opposition to the administration's program for setting a definite time for Filipino independence as outlined in Senator Clarke's amendment to the Philippine bill was an important factor. The secretary characterized the amendment as "an abandonment of the duty of this nation

### SEEKS COMPENSATION FOR EYE LOST WHEN PUNCTURED BY CIGAR

Charleston, W. Va., Feb. 11.—Going from work in different directions during a blinding snow storm, George Davis, and H. L. Best collided. A lighted cigar in Best's mouth struck Anderson in the eye, destroying the sight. Today Anderson presented a claim to the Workmen's Compensation Department, saying he was in the employ of a subscriber to the compensation fund at the time of the accident and that he is entitled to compensation for the injury. The application is without parallel in the history of the fund.

Tar water was a cure-all in the eighteenth century. It was prepared by pouring a gallon of water on a quart of tar, and the dose was half a pint in the morning and a second glass in the afternoon. Its use became so fashionable that a contemporary noted, "It is as common to call for a glass of tar water in a coffee house as a dish of tea or coffee."

and a breach of trust to the Filipinos.

Secretary Garrison contended that only a federal continental army, instead of a reorganized National Guard, could be the main military dependence of the country, while the president contended that no one plan could be enforced upon congress. It was upon these two contentions that the break between the president and his secretary of war came.

Mr. Garrison considered reliance upon the militia for national defense an "unjustifiable imperiling of the nation's safety."

Assistant Secretary Breckinridge, who shared Secretary Garrison's views, resigned because of loyalty to his chief. His resignation was also accepted.

Major General Scott, chief of the army, automatically became secretary of war at interim.

There was considerable speculation here today over a possible successor to Secretary Garrison. Those talked of most prominently in the connection included Representative Sherley of Kentucky, chairman of the house fortifications subcommittee, Secretary Lane of the interior department, and Assistant Secretary Roosevelt of the navy department.

It is expected that the president will appoint a successor immediately. It is understood that he wants a man already familiar with the general details of the military situation of the country so that plans for national defense may be carried forward without delay.

New York, Feb. 11.—Lindley M. Garrison refused absolutely to discuss his resignation as secretary of war upon his arrival here from Washington last night. He declared all information regarding his resignation must come from Washington.

Asked if he had any comment to make on the retirement of his assistant, Henry C. Breckinridge, Mr. Garrison replied: "Mr. Breckinridge will have to speak for himself. I have troubles enough of my own."

### SUIT THAT MADE 'EM TAKE NOTICE



Miss Dorothy Frank.

Palm Beach, Fla., Feb. 10.—Folks here sat up and took notice, as the expression goes, when Miss Dorothy Frank, of Chicago, appeared on the beach in the new "San Francisco" bathing suit.

The latest bathing costume is a compromise with those who objected to the one-piece creation which has been put under the censors' ban. The suit is especially becoming to slender women.

The New Hat.  
Mrs. De Style—Women are an expensive blessing. Mr. De Style—They are expensive.—Judge.

## GERMAN COMMANDER SLAYS SUBORDINATES AFTER HIS SUBMARINE IS CAPTURED

New York, Feb. 11.—Dr. M. S. Inglis, a Canadian army surgeon, who arrived today on the Anchor liner Cameronia from Liverpool, declared that he had knowledge of the capture in British nets of 17 German submarines and told how the crew of one of them had been found shot to death after it had been towed ashore. Dr. Inglis said he had been allowed to descend into this submarine and had seen the bodies.

"To save them from death by suffocation," he said, "the commander had shot all his men and then himself, apparently."

Dr. Inglis added that the British are now making use of glass bottom boats with more or less success in scouting for submarines in conjunction with a hydroplane fleet.

### Seek Injunctions To Enforce Yost Prohibition Law

Wheeling, W. Va., Feb. 11.—Application for five injunctions to close as many alleged "speakeasies" will be made tomorrow to Judge H. C. Hearsey, in circuit court, by Attorney Charles M. Earhart, acting for State Tax Commissioner Fred O. Blum, who is ex-officio commissioner of prohibition. The petitions have been prepared and notices were served today.

The application for injunctions is declared to be only the beginning of the latest move to enforce prohibition here. "This is only a start," said Attorney Earhart. "Before many weeks we expect to close every speakeasy in Wheeling by proceeding in the courts of equity."

## HIGH SCHOOL GIRL'S BODY FOUND IN WOODS

Chicago, Feb. 11.—An autopsy performed by coroner's physicians today, served only to deepen the mystery surrounding the death of Miss Marion Frances Lambert, the 18-year-old high school girl, whose body was found yesterday in a wooded section of the estate of Harold F. McCormack, at Lake Forest, Ill.

Although the fact that the body was frozen prevented officials from determining the exact cause of death, it was believed for several hours that an attack had been made on the girl. This was denied today and Coroner John L. Taylor gave out the following statement:

"We found sufficient poison in the stomach to cause death. The nature of the poison has not been determined."

## YAQUI INDIANS DISPERSED AND MANY TAKEN

Douglas, Ariz., Feb. 11.—The capture of a large number of Yaqui Indians and the dispersal of the remainder of a band of several hundred that raided San Fernando Snora several days ago, has been effected at Sierra de la Oajima, twenty-five miles west of Torin by troops under command of Colonel Jesus Aguirre, according to advices received here today by Ives Lelequier, consul for the defacto government.

### DESTROYED BY FIRE

New York, Feb. 11.—The four masted schooner John Bossert of this city, was destroyed by fire five miles out to sea and sank early today. Captain Pressy and the crew of seven men were taken off the burning vessel by the pilot boat New York and were brought ashore by the crew of the Seabright coast guard station. Three of the sailors were severely burned.

## German Consul Ordered To Leave

Torreon, Coahuila, Mex., Feb. 11.—German Consul Shominer, at Torreon City, has been ordered to leave the state, because of alleged excessive prices placed upon merchandise in his store, according to information received here today.

### War Held At Arms Length By U. S. But He Will Keep It Away If Possible Says Wilson

### WOMAN VICTIM OF PARLIAMENT FIRE



Mme. Mabel Morin.

Mme. Mabel Morin, wife of Louis Morin, a lawyer of St. Joseph de Beauce, Quebec Province, was one of several guests of Speaker Seigney's wife in the speaker's suite in the Canadian house of commons at Ottawa when the parliament buildings caught fire. Mme. Seigney, her children and all her guests but two escaped by means of a life net. Mme. Morin and Mme. Bray of Montreal were overcome by smoke and lost their lives.

## 100 ARE POISONED BY SOUP

Chicago, Feb. 11.—More than one hundred persons who suffered ptomaine poisoning from eating soup at a banquet given last night at the University Club in honor of Archbishop George W. Mundelein, of the Roman Catholic archdiocese, of Chicago, had fully recovered today.

Nearly three hundred guests were present, including many prelates from various parts of the country.

## LIMIT PLACED AT ONE QUART

Jackson, Miss., Feb. 11.—Shipments of liquor from outside the state to any person in Mississippi would be limited to one quart of whiskey and twenty-four pints of beer each fifteen days by a bill passed today by the state senate and previously passed by the house.

Lightning Fires.  
Hungarian peasants have a superstition that fire kindled by lightning can only be extinguished by milk.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Delegates to the annual convention of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States left for their homes today, carrying with them a message from President Wilson, the outstanding feature of which was his determination to keep the United States out of the European conflict, although he declared that the nation merely held that trouble at arm's length.

The president addressed the annual banquet of the chamber, which was a concluding feature of a three days' convention. He also spoke of the need of a real scientific tariff board and a Merchant Marine.

"It is a cruel thing," said the president, "to have it supposed, as it is in many quarters, that we have kept out of this war simply because we wanted to keep out of trouble, and simply because we wanted to profit by the trouble of others, and yet misunderstandings for the time being are not to be reckoned as against the consciousness that we have pursued the right and only serviceable course. I am not afraid of the slow verdict of history with regard to the neutrality of the United States, and I believe that we are justified in exercising every degree of patience in making it clear what our position is."

"I have only this to say, though, we hold this trouble at arm's length and keep, or attempt to keep, our judgments cool, but the rest of the world is hot and it may be that any time, without our co-operation and without our ability to stop it, the flame may extend to us. And therefore, I am glad that the United States has been put in a position to mobilize its financial resources and to get into the position which it must at last get into, whether it wants to or not."

"If only we can keep this great nation at peace—there is an infinite prospect of happy prosperity before the United States; I believe that she will serve the rest of the world in handsome and gallant fashion, not taking advantage of their necessities, but only taking advantage of the legitimate opportunities which the circumstances have created."

The president spoke of the federal reserve law saying:

"When you reflect what might have happened if our banking system had at the outset of this war been the clumsy and antiquated thing that it was three years ago, you will realize that only might we not have escaped disaster, but that disaster might have been so prolonged that it would have been impossible for the United States to occupy the position she now occupies."

The president told of the necessity tariff board and said he thought the nation would get it.

"I want to say," he continued, "that before the whole face of affairs was changed in the economics of the world by the war, I was not in favor of a tariff board, because the purpose of it then, apparently was to keep alive an unprofitable controversy. I am not interested in the doctrines of protection; I am not interested in the doctrines of free trade. I have been a college professor and know why I am not, because there is nothing in either doctrine. The only thing that is interesting is the facts of commerce and industry and the only thing that it is right to deduce from the facts is something that has nothing properly to do with party politics at all."

The president expressed the confident hope that legislation creating a merchant marine would be passed by congress as soon as possible and added:

"At any rate, while all the rest of the world is at war we cannot deliver our goods in other people's ships and we have hopefully expected that ships would be built by Americans, but there have been no violent symptoms of that prospect being realized and it is absolutely necessary that we should make a beginning in some way. I think the necessity for this has been more and more perceived in the last eighteen months."

"A year ago when the original shipping bill was introduced I was told that a revolution of some sort was being proposed. I am not afraid of any kind of a revolution that is useful. I do not care by what honest process the goods are delivered, but they have got to be delivered. We cannot hold our whole economic life up stagnant because we are afraid to try experiments. I am not afraid of an experiment provided you put the trying of it into competent hands, the hands of men who understand business and who are truly devoted to the interests of the country."

Dubuque, Iowa, Feb. 11.—A fire, which last night destroyed the warehouse of the A. A. Cooper Wagon and Buggy Company, caused a loss of \$300,000, according to estimates today.

It is said that most of the wagons were built for the allies in the European war.

## Emperor Nicholas Goes To The Front

London, Feb. 11.—A Petrograd despatch to Reuters says that Emperor Nicholas yesterday left for the front.

How He Loved Himself.  
She—Just think, Henry, we've never had a cross word. He—No, Mame. Ain't it the patient case?—Exchange.

## WEATHER

Ohio—Probably rain in south portion. Rain or sleet in north portion tonight and Saturday.



# KEEPING ABREAST WITH SPORTING TREND

## GIANTS DEFEAT SPIDERS AT PLAY HOUSE ALLEYS

Teams	P	W	L	Pct.
Giants	3	2	1	.667
Spiders	3	1	2	.333
Submarines	3	1	2	.333
Bald Eagles	3	1	2	.333

### TEAM STANDING

Ivory Knobs vs. Old Hoppers, alleys 4 and 5; Beards vs. Corn Shuckers, alleys 4 and 5.

Aldred and abetted by many strikes and spares, superinduced by the roars of the onlookers, the Giant Killers, with their championship banner flapping in colors bright in their line of vision, topped two out of three from the Spiders at the Play House alleys Thursday evening, turning the trick artistically and deftly, after having dropped the first game by a wide margin.

The Giants had not forgotten the lesson the Spiders handed them on the opening night of the first game, and were out for revenge, which they got because they generally get what they go after. The Spiders, all buoyed up over the first game, laughed they had a clinch. This thought was soon swept into the discard, for the Giants, pulling together like one man simply wiped out the Spiders in the second game.

Dr. C. Goodwin, noted extractor of moles and blunders, was a regular lurcher in the opening game, when, as least off man for the Spiders he rang up the huge total of 211, bringing home to his door and putting him in excellent shape to enjoy the contest. He did nothing wonderful thereafter, but not much consolation out of the laurels he had won. Wade Kennedy was there with the bells on and did duty as well as his captain expected. He has the happy faculty of striking out and this made his scores of good proportion. He was quite well satisfied with his evening's entertainment. Dr. Mytinger had a fairly good night, although he could have stood a few more pins. He hit 'em fairly well, but the pins did not always succumb. Dr. Tatje, rolling as anchor man, got up out of a sick bed to participate in the pastime and considering everything did amazingly well, although he is looked upon as one of the most consistent in the league.

Dallas Lemon, lead off man for the Giants, was in good form and did his share toward bringing victory to his side. He encountered some rough breaks, but always came back with skill and determination. Frank J. Baker, the Sleepless Shoeman, was unable to crack that head pin with his usual deadly accuracy, but he kept plugging along and his faithfulness was finally rewarded with a respectable score. Edward Riskey was all right, but yet life. He had one of his best nights and was as chipper as a ground squirrel. Sir Edward Campbell, labeled "John Bunney, for short," came through like a thoroughbred striking out in his second game and finishing his work in apple order. Chas. Daehler bunched into bundles of spits in his opening game, but finally luck veered the other way and he finished with a respectable average. Captain Sheridan held up his end, getting two 200 scores after a weird beginning. The Giants are off

now, for some battle and declare they will yet have the honor of meeting the Ivory Knobs in the world's series. The scores:

Giants—Lemon 145, 150, 150; Baker 115, 120, 147; Riskey 118, 150, 128; Campbell 166, 145, 129; Daehler 101, 151, 159; Sheridan 112, 200, 201.

Spiders—Goodwin 211, 145, 124; Wink 125, 125, 125; Kennedy 123, 125, 125; Mytinger 123, 158, 169; Tatje 172, 127, 157.

Totals—Giants 818, 925, 923; Spiders 886, 821, 816.

### CUBA WANTS OLYMPIC GAMES

Cuba is to make another bid for the Olympic Games. The offer to hold the 1916 meet having elicited no reply an invitation has been extended to Baron de Coubertin, president of the International Olympic Committee to visit Havana and inspect the facilities offered for the holding of an international meet in 1916. There is, of course, no possibility of the game being held in Berlin next July as scheduled immediately after the 1912 meet in Stockholm. Not even the members of the committee can forecast what may occur during the next two or three years.

At the present time European countries have other and more pressing matters than Olympic games to hold their attention.

### Protests Up To President

It was decided at the New York baseball meeting this week that hereafter President Tener should be the first and last court of authority on protested games, thus saving time and bother. Harrison, an international league umpire, said to be a very good umpire, was appointed on the National league staff.

### Committee Will Meet

Members of the Intercollegiate Football Rules Committee, which met in New York late in February, will devote considerable attention to the leather armor and protective devices which players wear in the gridiron game. The impression has been growing that in more cases the protective articles are more useful for offensive purposes than for defense against injury.

### Mills Is Going South

President Gableman has received word from Caliber Lemoyne Mills that he is going south February 18 with the pitchers of the Cleveland American league team. Mills says he has entirely recovered from the injury suffered in Lexington last year when he broke his right leg. If Cleveland doesn't find room for Mills he is anxious to return to Portsmouth.

### Baker Deal Not Closed

Chicago, Feb. 11.—I have not discussed the Baker matter with Connie Mack since the season ended," said President Charles Comiskey of the White Sox today, discussing the report from New York that he had secured "Home Run" Baker for the Sox next year.

## LETTER FROM BASKETBALL MONDAY JOE BUSH

President Wm. Gableman is in receipt of a letter from Second Baseman Joe Bush, who is spending winter at his home in Albany, N. Y. Joe is anxious for the ball to tap and wants to return to Portsmouth. He says he is in fine condition, bawling and skating putting him in the proverbial "pink of condition." Bush was regarded as one of the best infielders in the Ohio State league last year.

## NELSON WILL FIGHT WOLGAST

Appleton, Wis., Feb. 11.—Battling Nelson and Ad Wolgast have been matched to meet here March 8 or 10, according to Matchmaker Kammia, who left for Chicago today to complete final arrangements.

## PRINCETON HAS ANNUAL REPORT

Princeton, N. J., Feb. 11.—The annual report of the Princeton Athletic Association made public today shows a profit for 1914-15 of \$15,130, a gain of \$5,500 over last year.

Football, baseball and hockey, were the only self supporting sports.

A fast game of basketball is expected Monday evening, at 8:00 in the high school gym when the fast Spanish school team will meet the fast Spanish team. This is the first time these two teams have met, and each has won its majority of games. The Spaniards will lineup as follows: Hatzos, center; Slatten and Egbert, forwards; Schultz, Matthews and Williams, guards. The Presbyterians will use the following players: Padan, center; Werner and Frank forwards; Bowler and Drew, guards.

Admission ten cents.

## TWO PLAYERS WERE SOLD

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Manager Rowland of the American League Club today announced that Outfielder Jones and Pitcher Frank Davis had been sold to Columbus, Ohio, of the American Association.

## AIN'T IT SO

National League may raise player limit. But the players will make their own limit when they are not playing baseball.

## Braves Get Ed Konechny

Pittsburgh, Feb. 11.—President Edward W. Gwinn, of the Pittsburgh Federal League club announced today that he had completed a deal for the sale of First Baseman Edward Konechny and pitcher Frank Allen and Elmer Kretzer, to the Boston National League club.

## May Cut Out Short Fence

There is some lively controversy among the magistrates over the short fence at Philadelphia. Barney Dreyfuss, who is the basist little bee in the bunch, insists on a rule in creating the home run distance of fences from 235 to 270 feet. This, of course, means a wide uproar at Philadelphia, where the bugs and the papers are united in upholding the short field distance that has donated so many victories to the Quakers in the past.

## Chance For Chief Bender

Vernon, Cal., Feb. 11.—Chief Bender, the former pitcher of the Philadelphia Athletics, will be a member of the Vernon Pacific Coast league team this season, if he accepts the offer made to him by President Eddie Mauer of the local club.

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Though limp, bat-winged, may lurk around  
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### Died Last Night

Denver T., the one month and seven days old child of Earlie and Mrs. Addie Blake Burris, colored, who reside in the rear of 913 Ninth street, died Thursday evening at 10 o'clock. The funeral services were held Friday and burial was made in Greenlawn.

The latest telephone wires in Portsmouth are those leading to the TIMES WANT AD depart.

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## Will Conduct INSPECTION

Canton Orient, I. O. O. F., will be formally inspected on February 21 by Lieutenant J. M. Kaufman, of Gallipolis, an announcement to this effect being made at the lodge's meeting last night. The drill team, under the supervision of W. G. Carson, is making rapid headway and will be in fine shape for the annual inspection.

## TWO NEW EAGLES

The local Aeris of Eagles at their meeting Thursday night, conferred the initiatory degree upon two candidates, Neil Garrett and Ira Davis. The ritual work was followed by a buffet lunch.

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# DROWNED GIRL IS ESTELLA HOSEY, OF IRONTON. MURDER THEORY IS ADVANCED BY HER RELATIVES

The body of the well-dressed young woman found in Millbrook lake Thursday was positively identified Friday morning as that of Miss Estella Leola Hosey, aged 20 years, of Pine Grove Furnace, Lawrence county, and relatives, including her father, who made the identification, have advanced the claim that she was murdered.

A mysterious special delivery letter and another letter and some telegrams addressed to Miss Hosey in care of her aunt, Mrs. Julia Hosey, of 3006 Sixth street, where she roomed and boarded while employed in Portsmouth, were turned over to Sheriff Pete Smith soon after the identification was made and some startling developments are expected.

## Left Her Home

According to the relatives Miss Hosey, who worked at the Mitchell Manufacturing company's plant, where she operated a spooler, was last seen by any of them Saturday, January 29, when she said she was going to Ironton for a few days and would then return and go back to work. She expected to go to Ironton on a noon N. & W. train. The relatives claim to have the names of two girls who saw her at the N. & W. depot.

One of the letters was from a Cleveland man whom she was directed to join on N. & W. train No. 16. The tone of the letter indicated that he was her "sweet heart."

## Threat Was In Letter

Another letter is said to have contained a threat if she met another man. The relatives were unaware that the girl had any love affair until the discovery of the letters and dispatches among her personal effects. They contend that she had no domestic troubles of any kind, was happy and contented and had no reason whatever for ending her own life.

## We Think It Is Murder

"We will believe nothing else but what she was murdered," exclaimed Morell R. Keller, a well known machinist of 2130 Ninth street, who is a relative by marriage. He said that there were three men involved and that the family was determined to sift the case to the very bottom and bring to justice those responsible for the girl's death.

## Father Makes Identification

The body was identified by the girl's father, Albert S. Hosey, an employee of the Hanging Rock Iron company, by a scar on the left side of the lower lip, which he said Estella had had since she was a mere child, having sustained it in a fall. The shape of the face and head sort of convinced him it was his daughter before he stepped around to the other side of the body and looked for the scar. Mr. Hosey was accompanied by a son, Orville E. Hosey, who too felt the body was that of his sister.

Mr. Hosey's brother, William Hosey, a teamster for P. H. Hursha, miller, and Mr. Keller were also at the Daehler morgue when the identification was made.

## That Is My Girl

"That's my girl," exclaimed Mr. Hosey as soon as he saw the scar. He also identified her by her fine, white, solid teeth. But

for this identification perhaps would have been difficult for the face was badly discolored.

Mr. Hosey's brother and the latter's two daughters, Nola and Winnie had visited the morgue Thursday night. While feeling positive the coat was that of their cousin the girls were not so certain about the other garments. They concluded however to communicate with her father at once and learned that the girl had not been home. The father and son came down from Ironton on an early train Friday.

## Foreman Views Body

John Vogt, a foreman at the Mitchell Manufacturing company's plant, Friday morning examined the garments at the Daehler undertaking establishment. He thought the coat was that of Miss Hosey. He also viewed the body and felt quite certain it was that of the missing working girl. Mr. Vogt said he had seen Miss Hosey pass his home at 1302 Seventeenth street, Sunday morning, January 30. He said a young man was escorting her. If Mr. Vogt is correct in his recollection he saw her the day after the relatives say she was last seen alive.

The post-mortem examination conducted by Dr. Walter Daehler, the county coroner, and Dr. O. R. Micklethwait, Thursday afternoon revealed that there was no reason for the young woman to commit suicide.

## BACK FROM BANQUET

Karl Zoellner has returned from Pittsburgh, where he was a guest at a magnificent banquet the Pittsburgh Lodge B. P. O. Elks tendered Grand Exalted Ruler James R. Nicholson and other members of his official family. The banquet was held in the Ft. Pitt Hotel and covers were laid for 700 guests.

While at the banquet Mr. Zoellner met C. P. Sullivan, who supervised the remodeling of the postoffice building here. He found Mr. Sullivan looking well and prosperous and he asked to be remembered to his friends here. Mr. Sullivan is supervising the erection of a new postoffice building in Carnegie, Pa.

While in the Smoky City Mr. Zoellner also had the pleasure of meeting Edwin G. Williams, telegraph editor of the Pittsburgh Post, and who formerly held a similar position on The Times. Mr. Williams was delighted to meet Mr. Zoellner, as he has a warm spot in his heart for Portsmouth. He is getting along splendidly in Pittsburgh.

## Three Candidates

At the meeting Thursday night of Massie Lodge, Knights of Pythias, No. 115, the Esquire Rank was conferred on three candidates, F. K. Cogan, John W. Massa and Dan Fisher.

## New Residents

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Francis, of Cleveland, have moved to Portsmouth. Mr. Francis has entered the employ of the Whitaker-Glessner Company.

## SAYS THIRTY ENLISTED UNDER BRITISH COLORS

"One naturally hears much about the war in my part of the country," said S. M. Stone, of Canada, and who is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Stone, of Lucasville.

"There have been 30 or more enlistments under the British colors in Creelman, which only has a population of about 300. The feeling there is all one way," Mr. Stone said Thursday while in Portsmouth.

Mr. Stone stated that Creelman was experiencing one of its severest winters, the mercury recently registering 40 below zero. "It is a nice dry cold and we don't mind it so

much," Mr. Stone said, Thursday. "Creelman is located in a strictly agricultural center. Wheat, oats, barley and flax are raised in great quantities in the vicinity of Creelman. Roasting oars are also raised in the summer, but no other kind of corn is, because it will not mature in our climate. The farmers have had a good year and Creelman has been enjoying a boom all its own."

Mr. Stone was born and reared in the vicinity of Lucasville and received his education in the Lucasville schools. On his way back to Creelman he will be joined in Iowa by his wife.

## LEG WAS AMPUTATED

Barry Young, an aged pensioner and former resident of Madison street, who for the past nine months has been at the Sandusky Soldiers' home, arrived here Thursday for a visit. He is minus a leg, having had to undergo amputation because of an affliction.

## ATTENTION CO. K

All members of Company K are urged to take notice. Company K will be inspected today by Philip Remington, first lieutenant, U. S. inspecting officer, who will begin his work at one o'clock today and will complete the inspection tonight. All members and officers of the company will receive their regular state pay.

## Union Leader Is Suddenly Stricken

Martin J. McMahon, who came to Portsmouth to address the Machinist Union at their meeting Wednesday night was stricken with appendicitis Thursday and was removed to the Hempstead hospital, where he will submit to an operation.

Mr. McMahon's family arrived here from Cincinnati Friday and will remain with him until he is declared out of danger.

He had not been feeling well for a week and when he called a physician Thursday he was found to be suffering with appendicitis and was removed to the hospital.

## SUPT. CAREY COMING BACK NEXT WEEK

J. T. Carey, superintendent of the Seaside division of the N. & W., who for the past month has been temporarily in charge of the Eastern division of the N. & W., with headquarters in Roanoke, expects to return here some time next week and again take up his work as superintendent of the local division, which will be good news to his many friends here.

V. A. Rife, superintendent of the Eastern division, who has been recuperating in Florida, writes that he is much improved in health and that he expects to return to his work the first of next week.

## ANOTHER BOAT BOUGHT

Capt. Harry Donnelly returned last night from a business trip to Wheeling and Pittsburgh, and upon his arrival here he announced that he and Capt. Fred Herbrook had purchased the steamer Reuben Dunbar and that the boat would be en route to the Pittsburgh-Charleston trade on Friday, February 18. The Reuben Dunbar is a modern boat and the local citizens had been negotiating for its purchase since their steamer, the Lorena, was recently destroyed by fire.

Fresh Strawberries—Sundae 10c, Soda 10c, Shortcake 15c, Win Nyc, Fourth and Chillicothe. 7-3d 3 n e

## A TURKISH AMBASSADOR IS CAPTURED

Petrograd, Feb. 11.—(Via London)—A despatch from Teheran says that Assim Bey, Turkish ambassador to Persia, has been captured by a patrol of Cossacks near Keredji. Three companions who were taken prisoners at the same time as the Ambassador, have proved to be the Austrian military attache and two Austrian prisoners of war, who had escaped from the Russian some time ago.

## YOUTH AND AGE

By F. A. MITCHEL

She was born a dirt. When she was a little girl she preferred the company of boys rather than girls; not that she was a tomboy, for she was very feminine. When she was thirteen she captured a boy of ten and gave him a genuine case of love. At fifteen she entangled a man of thirty. At eighteen her admirers were numberless. At twenty her mother insisted that she should stop flirting and marry.

She promised to think about it, but before she had finished her thinking she was twenty-four, and by that time a woman is hard to please. At twenty-six she was not only harder to please, but had fewer eligible men to choose from. Then she woke up one morning to find herself an old maid.

She did not like the prospect before her. She declined to accept it. She set her jaws and resolved that she would marry for a home and children. She did not agree with the poet that "knowledge comes, but wisdom lingers." She believed she could select a partner who would fulfill all the conditions of a desirable husband. As for romance, bah! Had she not been very pretty in love with Charlie Ashurst, who had afterward gone to the bad? She had been engaged to Tom Chester, who was now a fat, bald-headed pig. Her mother had interposed between her and Jimmie Ludlow, who had married and had been divorced for cruelty, well established. This was or had been romance. No more of it for her. She wanted a man who would go to business in the morning, return in the evening and not bother her for those little attentions husbands usually desire. She would lavish her affection on the children.

She met a man a few years her senior, who seemed to fill the bill. On meeting her he seemed interested in her. He did very little talking, but was a first-rate listener. So far as she could discover there was not a spark of romance in him. She determined to marry him if she could.

Realizing that the coquette ways of a girl in her teens would not avail her now, she tried to make herself acceptable to him as a companion. She talked sensibly, acted sensibly. She admitted that she had made a mistake in not marrying when younger and would like to rectify the error before it was too late. Any time was time enough for a home, but would soon be too late for children. She also admitted that the man she wanted was one who would make her comfortable. Love after marriage, she had heard married persons say, was after all, but an intensified companionship.

He neither accepted nor dissented from this. He looked at her curiously while she was saying it, and she wondered what he was thinking about. Perhaps it was his reticence and her own curiosity that gave her an interest in him, the strength of which she did not realize. She noticed that though he said very little, what he did say inspired confidence. After an evening spent in his company she felt her inferiority. He paid her few compliments, but when he did praise her she felt that he meant it and she deserved it.

Notwithstanding that they were much together and she had admitted that she wished to marry, he did not propose. Either he was obtuse or he preferred to remain a bachelor. Nevertheless his visits increased in frequency, and at last he was with her every other evening. Finally he said to her:

"Your philosophy has converted me. A marriage based on common sense is worth a dozen with no other foundation than infatuation. That's what I am, infatuation. Like you, I wish to marry for a home and children."

"It's coming at last," she said to herself.

"At my time of life I look for the woman who is most likely to make my home comfortable. I have been considering two women—not that I have any assurance that I can get either—yourself and another. I think the other will make me the more comfortable, though she is not as attractive as you."

This was too much for her philosophy. She looked at him, trying to find voice to make a reply, but feared to betray herself by a quivering lip.

"I would like you to meet my fiancée," he continued. "She is not intellectual, but practical. One thing about her that has gone far to decide me in her favor is that she is an excellent cook."

At last she found voice to speak. "Your words are positively brutal!"

He burst into a laugh, at the same time taking her into his arms.

"Am I more brutal," he said, "than the girl who drove Fred Jones to attempt suicide?"

"Fred Jones?"

"Yes. I am that Fred Jones whom you hired to a proposal eleven years ago and who left you to jump into a river, from which he was unwillingly rescued. He recovered from a desire to fill himself with dirty water, but he never recovered from his love of the dear girl who sent him forth that night to—"

"Heavens!" she interrupted. "I can remember a good many of them, but I can't recall any one by the name of Jones."

"It doesn't matter. The age of romance with us has passed. We need each other now. In our youth we didn't; the world was ours."

They were married, and every one said, "What a lachrymoseal comedy!"

## PENNSYLVANIA COAL MINERS DEMAND MORE PAY, SHORTER HOURS, RECOGNITION OF UNION; OPERATORS REFUSE; STRIKE EXPECTED



Children of coal miners; homes of miners in Pennsylvania coal districts.

A big strike is looked for in the Pennsylvania coal districts this spring. The miners demand a 20 per cent increase in pay, an eight-hour day, and recognition of the union. The operators say they will grant none of the demands.

## WARRANTS ON THE ALLEGED VIOLATORS ARE TO BE SERVED

San Francisco, Feb. 11.—The serving of warrants upon men and firms named in the 61 indictments returned by the Federal grand jury in the so-called neutrality and bomb cases is set for today and it is said that most of those indicted will appear in court to give bond for their appearance when the cases come up for trial.

Franz Bopp, German consul general and the vice consul, Eckhard H. Von Chack are to be served with warrants, but as a courtesy to the government they represent they will not be required to furnish bonds.

Bonds in the case of the alleged neutrality violations were fixed at \$1,000 on each count, and in the case of the so-called bomb-plots at \$2,500.

Wm. E. Boyce, assistant United States Immigration Commissioner here, and twenty-six others, including immigration officers, employees of the Pacific Mail Company and a custom-house broker also, are to be arrested today on charges of conspiracy to smuggle Chinese into the United States. Those against whom indictments were returned by the Federal grand jury include thirteen whites and fourteen Chinese. The bond in each case has been fixed at \$1,000.

The indictments followed an investigation by the grand jury into the discovery of 86 contraband Chinese on the liner Mongolia when that vessel arrived here from the Orient last October.

## Go To Housekeeping

Walter Shively and bride, who since their marriage have been living at the home of his father-in-law, Peter Schuler, have gone to housekeeping on Front street, near Seaside.

## Missy Revenge

Paganini, the violinist, had a narrow escape at Ferrara from a violent death. Escaped by some blessing from the pit, he resolved to avenge the insult and at the close of his program informed the audience that he would imitate the language of the various animals. After having rendered the notes of different birds, the mewing of a cat and the barking of a dog he advanced to the footlights and, saying, "This is for those who hissed!" imitated the baying of an ass. At this the occupants of the pit rose, rushed on to the stage and would have killed their antagonist had he not hastily retreated.—Pittsburgh Press.

## FINISHING VIADUCT

Having completed their portion of work on the new Lawson viaduct, The L. E. Sturm Company Friday shipped their equipment to Columbus, it being loaded on four special cars. Several sub-contractors still have considerable work to do on the viaduct, which will hardly be completed before April 15. David A. Breinig, superintendent of the work will remain until the viaduct is ready to be turned over to the city and the N. & W.

## The Oil in Tobacco

Although the Havana or Havana seed tobaccos are low in nicotine, they are high in oil. The settlement in a pipestem or the brown stain obtained from blowing tobacco smoke through the meshes of a handkerchief is not nicotine, as commonly supposed, but is in reality tobacco oil, nicotine only being obtained in extract by an elaborate process of distillation and double distillation. The oil in cigar tobacco prevents the smoke being inhaled, as it would cause a strangulation and painful irritation.

## Bullock Skin Boats

There are few more primitive methods of transportation than those in use today by natives of northern India who make their homes in the vicinity of the swift flowing Sutlej. The boats of these aborigines are nothing more or less than bullock skins inflated by the breath of the natives themselves. Two natives may be seen hard at work filling the skins with air. Having inflated them to their satisfaction, they will leap overboard and paddle themselves across the river, great skill and strength being necessary to sustain their equilibrium during the passage. But even should the boats overturn they are easily righted, and the natives are without exception expert swimmers.

## Anthony Trollope's First Earnings

A literary man recalls Anthony Trollope's little glow over the first fruits of his pen. "I send you a copy of 'The Warden,'" he wrote to Lord Houghton in 1896, "which Mr. Longman assures me is the last of the first edition. There were, I think, only 750 printed, and they have been over ten years in hand. But I regard the book with affection, as I made £9 2s. 6d. by the first year's sales, having previously written and published for years without any such golden result. Since then I have improved even upon that." Trollope, of course, "improved upon that" in no uncertain fashion.—Westminster Gazette.

## A Monster Vessel of Olden Times

Ptolemaeus Philopater, one of the ancient kings of Egypt, is said to have built a vessel 420 feet long, 56 feet broad, 72 feet high from the keel to the top of the prow and 84 feet to the top of the poop. She had four beams of 60 feet. Her largest oars were 50 feet long, with London handles so as to be more easily worked. She had two masts, two sterns and seven rostra or beaks. On both poop and prow she had figures of men and animals that were fully 38 feet high. She had 4,000 rowers, 400 cabin boys or servants, 2,820 marines to do duty on deck, besides being provided with immense stores of arms and provisions.—Westminster Gazette.

## Charity

Did universal charity prevail earth would be a heaven and hell a fable.—Cotton.

## WHY THE GERMANS SUNK IT

Berlin. (Via London, Feb. 11.)—The appendices attached to the German memorandum notifying neutral nations that armed merchantmen belonging to countries at war with Germany will be considered warships include the Steamer Woodfield. The Woodfield was sunk November 3, last. A list of the crew aboard showed a gun captain and gun crew from the navy on board the vessel.

## About Fishes

Fish are nearly the same weight as the water in which they live, so that they can move in it with great ease. The majority of them also have an air bladder inside of the body, which enables them to go up or down in the water at will. When a fish desires to go down deep it can press the air out of its bladder by means of certain muscles and thus increase the weight of its body, and when it wishes to rise again it takes off the pressure, the bladder fills with air again, and its body becomes light enough to rise.

## Life of Air Leaks Away

Air seems to spoil easily. Air traveling through shafts and special air chambers—in fact, air going through anything that cuts it off from the ocean of atmosphere—loses some of its indescribable vitalizing qualities and is liable to cause weakness and a feeling of depression to those who habitually breathe in artificially ventilated houses. Scientific examination may show such air to be absolutely pure, but all the same it is poor stuff to take into the lungs. This also explains the real rock bottom difference between town and country air. Highly artificial food and highly artificial air, no matter how good they seem, are not the real stuffs themselves.—New York Press.

## Her Ignorance

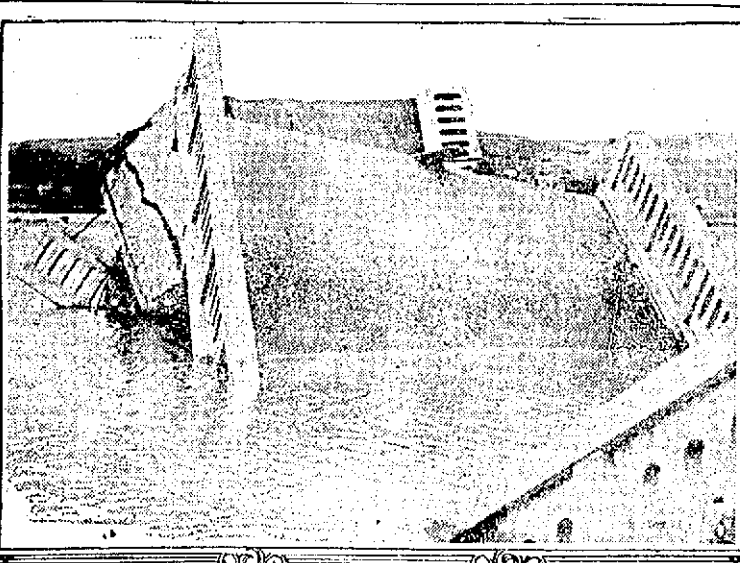
"Sam," said Mr. Irwin to her neighbor on one occasion, "do you mean to vote at the coming election?"

"Cose I mean to vote," Sam answered promptly.

"Well, what do you know about the constitution?"

"Law, now, Miss May," said Sam. "You don't have to be a doctor to vote."

## FLOOD WATERS DESTROY HANDSOME BRIDGE NEAR SAN DIEGO



In the great flood that swept the San Diego valley scores of lives were lost and millions of dollars worth of property was damaged or destroyed. Photo shows what is left of a handsome new \$25,000 concrete railway bridge across the San Diego river, near San Diego.